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Lack of Airplanes Endangers Lives of Americans Holding French Sector

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Feb. 20.—Control of the American sector belongs to the enemy. Any officer at the front will make this declaration—all have made it. The control is obvious. German airplanes come and go over the American lines almost at will. Every time the Germans come over their path the sky is specked by fleecy shrapnel puffs, but the chances of hitting an airplane with anti-aircraft shells is so remote that the enemy aviators calmly fly along as if on a pleasure tour. Every now and then airplanes on this side attack the enemy. They always do this when they get a chance. But the Boche is clever while flying and manages to come over and take pictures, make observations and do virtually whatever else he desires and then calmly sail home without interruption. Nearly always he is at an altitude of about 3000 meters, where he is comparatively safe from anti-aircraft fire and knows it.

It is not permitted to name any officers of the American expeditionary force. It is not permitted to quote them. If both were allowed, it would be possible to carry quotations from virtually every officer at the front urging a speedy appearance of a large number of American airplanes with American pilots.

For there is only one way to wrest control of the air from the enemy—that is to fight him for it in the sky and relieve him of it by force of overwhelming numbers.

Right now if the Germans knew American airplanes were waiting for them every time they came over the line their trips would be less frequent. Neither would they dare to attempt such a bold piece of work as when they recently flew over the line in an airplane disguised with the Allied red, white and blue bull's-eye marking and cut loose with a machine gun on American soldiers in the trenches.

If there had been American airplanes near by the chances of the Germans getting back home after such a trick would be small. And it is extremely doubtful, officers say, if they ever would have tried it.

Any officer also will say that the safety of individual soldiers depends on keeping the enemy from doing as he pleases overhead. For days the Germans have been flying over certain towns where American troops have been resting after periods in the trenches. Once or twice these daylight observation tours have been followed the same night by visits by enemy bombing planes.

So free and unrestricted are the German airmen that in some towns the commands are under strict orders to disappear under cover the moment a German airplane is sighted.

Moreover, officers say, more and more German planes are appearing in the sky, and in various quarters there is a growing belief that these are the first of the machines which the Germans have been building feverishly to offset the large number of expected American airplanes in accordance with plans announced in the United States.

Whether this belief is true or not, the fact remains that American troops are holding the sector and are endangered daily because there are no machine-gun bullets. For several days the Germans have been concentrating artillery of various calibers opposite the American positions. They now have twice the number of guns as when the Americans first took the sector and between 800 and 1000 shells are being fired at the American positions, when at first there was hardly 150.

American artillerymen continue their practice of sending the enemy at least two or three shells for one. Enemy artillery during the last twenty-four hours paid particular attention to towns and battery positions, firing hundreds of shells on them.

Three soldiers wounded were the only casualties from the shell fire.

American shells have been dropped on enemy works and have cut the enemy wire to pieces in many places.

The question most asked from one end of the American front to the other is: "When are some American planes coming here?"

Boy Driver Slays Man

L. A. Autos Hurt Many

ONE man was killed and four persons were seriously injured late last night and early this morning in a series of serious automobile accidents which kept the surgeons at the Receiving Hospital and in outlying communities busy. Ernest Harnett, 79 years old, of No. 2491 Atlantic avenue, Long Beach, father of Miss Jane E. Harnett, former head of the history department of the Long Beach High School, who died last Saturday of pneumonia, and who was buried Tuesday, was struck and killed early this morning at Hill street and Atlantic avenue by an automobile driven by Elmer Joselyn, 15 years old, of Los Cerritos.

Officer Woodruff of the Long Beach police department responded to the accident call and first took the aged pioneer to the Long Beach Sanatorium. Physicians there, however, pronounced him dead. Mr. Harnett leaves ten children.

In Los Angeles for a brief visit, S. F. Hopkins, 63 years old, a Death Valley mining man, living at the Hayward Hotel, was struck at Sixth and Spring streets early this morning by an automobile owned by Frank Fusco of No. 642 Castellar street. He received three broken ribs, one of which punctured his lung. He is not expected to live.

Lok San, a Chinese laborer, was struck by an automobile driven by R. S. Whitmore of No. 211 H. W. Hellman Building, in front of No. 761 North Alameda street. The oriental was rushed to the County Hospital for treatment. There it was found that he was suffering from two fractured ribs and a possible fractured skull. He may die, the surgeons say.

Peter Pioda, 27 years old, and Frank Zandamo, 36 years old, of No. 406½ North Main street, were seriously injured when they were struck by an automobile driven by M. M. Lawson of No. 3701 Nopal street, at Alisо and San Pedro streets. Pioda received a broken right foot, cuts and bruises, and Zandamo suffered a badly lacerated scalp, Receiving Hospital physicians stated.

COLORED WOMAN TAKES POISON BY MISTAKE.

Mistaking a bottle of disinfectant for a bottle of wine, from which she had been imbibing, Marie Scott, 33 years old, a colored laundry worker, of No. 833 East Third street, early this morning drank some of the poison. The woman was rushed to the Receiving Hospital, where treatment was given by Police Surgeon Zorb. She is in a critical condition.

Taft Referees Boxing Bout.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—William H. Taft, former President of the United States, officiated as a referee of a boxing contest at the Great Lakes Naval Lakes training station here today. Jackies Lemaro and Bouche, a pair of 142-pounders, were the contestants and the match was witnessed by several thousand sailors and civilians. Mr. Taft awarded the decision to Lemaro.

At the end of his stay at the training station tonight Mr. Taft said that the result of his thirty days of speaking in military camps had convinced him finally that universal training was excellent.

HIGHER WAGES GIVEN STRIKING DOCKMEN.

LONGSHOREMEN AT NEW YORK QUIT WHILE DISPUTE IS BEING ADJUSTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Longshoremen of the Southern Pacific Steamship Company, who today renewed a strike which was under adjustment, were informed tonight by the national adjustment commission that while it had not met all their demands, it had decided on a scale of wages which would give them a substantial increase.

The new scale calls for 48 cents an hour for regular time, 70 cents for overtime, and 90 cents for Sundays, holidays and meal hours.

The commission found that complete equalization of rates between deep sea and coastwise longshoremen was not warranted, but "in view of special traffic conditions and all the evidence in the case, the above rates were granted and all other provisions of the prior awards of the local adjustment commission in force at the time of this decision, are to remain in force."

The award was made effective from February 11, the date on which the men appealed to the national commission.

In making the announcement the commission said the scale was decided upon February 14, that the leaders of the men were notified on February 15 and that it would be issued as soon as a sufficient number of authentic copies could be made for all the parties interested. The men did not wait, however, and failed to report for work today. They are expected to return to work tomorrow.

ANGLO-AMERICAN TRUTH OFFENSIVE TO START IN COUNTRIES OF ENEMY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—An Anglo-American truth offensive against enemy countries will be the outcome of the enlargement here of the Department of Information with its additions of Lord Northcliffe and Lord Beaverbrooke and the appointment in the United States of Arthur Woods, according to a statement made tonight. In fact, it is stated that the business of the dissemination of information in enemy countries will be done in co-operation with the American authorities.

It is said that one American method of getting information to the enemy peoples is so highly regarded it will be adopted without delay. It is asserted that the dropping of leaflets from the air is only a secondary method of distribution and that eventually much more certain and profitable methods will be used.

HILLQUIT TO HELP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Morris Hillquit, Socialist and pacifist candidate for Mayor of New York in the last municipal campaign, offered his services to the United States government in a speech here tonight. He volunteered to aid in any way in his power in propaganda to bring the labor unrest in Germany longed cheers.

BRITISH DOWN GERMAN AIRPLANES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—Twelve German airplanes have been accounted for by British airmen and one by infantry, says a statement on aerial operations tonight, which also reports successful attacks on Thionville and Pirmasens, Germany. The statement says:

"In air fighting Tuesday eleven hostile machines were brought down and another was driven down out of control. At night a bombing machine was brought down in No Man's Land by infantry. Two of our machines are missing.

"Tuesday night Thionville again was attacked successfully. Twenty-six heavy bombs were dropped on the railway station and a large explosion was caused and two fires started. All our machines returned safely. Today our airplanes bombed large factories and the station at Pirmasens, in Germany, and dropped a ton of bombs. All returned safely."

WEST SPORTING NEWS

Gasoline.

STA RETURNS TO GAME O CLEAN UP THOUSANDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

...O BUREAU OF THE ... has not emerged a victor in the Elgin road race programme. Resta never competed in this in deference to the wishes of his wife, the sister of Spencer Wishart, who was killed in an Elgin race.

Resta retired last year because of his inability to secure the Peugeot car with which he had campaigned successfully in 1915 and 1916.

It was said at the time that the owner of the Peugeot was unwilling to give the driver as large a percentage of the prize money as he thought he deserved and that the Italian held out for his own figures. Toward the end of the season he was drawn from his retirement by Pickens, under whose management he now is, and drove a Frontenac car in a race in New York. He failed to finish this race, unfamiliarity with the Frontenac car costing him all chance of victory.

Resta's success or failure this season will be strictly his own doings. At the time of his greatest successes, it was said his victories were more to the credit of his car than his own ability. Few persons took much stock in this, for in 1916 there were at least two newer Peugeots in the field, both of which unquestionably were faster than Resta's machine.

This season, however, there will be no question as to whom credit is due, for the car Resta will drive is one of his own design and construction. While in retirement last year Resta devoted most of his time and more than a small part of his winnings in the construction of a new car. He designed the machine himself and did most of the construction work.

WINTER GARDEN BALL.

New York White Way Favorites will Assist in Benefit Affair for the Red Cross.

An innovation for Los Angeles, the Winter Garden Ball, will be staged for the benefit of the American Red Cross on the 28th inst. at the Alexandria, featured by the appearance of more than 150 members of the "Show of Wonders," the big New York Winter Garden spectacle which will be showing at the Mason during that week.

Through the solicitation of Mrs. E. R. Collins and Mrs. J. M. Danziger, the performers have consented to lend their support for the worthy benefit affair. Among those from the show who will perform for the guests at the big ball will be Eugene and Willie Howard, Tom Lewis, White and Clayton, champion eccentric dancers; Adele Ardsley, prima donna; Flora Lea, premiere dancer; Patsie O'Hearn, soubrette; Ernest Hare, operatic singer; Sidney Phillips, international favorite; Jacque Kujawski, Russian primo ballerino; Myrtle Victorine and Irene Zoiar, swordswomen; Virginia Smith, Arthur Davis, Edmund Mulcahey, and many others.

FIFTY ILLINOIS CITIES ARE WITHOUT FLOUR.

FOOD ADMINISTRATOR ADMITS THAT THE FAMINE IS ACUTE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20. — Harry A. Wheeler, Illinois Food Administrator, today admitted that the flour famine in this State had reached an acute stage with no prospect of immediate relief.

"I could name fifty towns in Illinois that have no flour," he said. "The wheat is in the hands of farmers and as long as Congress juggles with proposed increases in the price of wheat so long will the farmers continue to hold their wheat."

Mr. Wheeler also said that complaints have been received from bakers that they are facing a shutdown and are only running on a day-to-day supply of flour.

REFUSAL TO ACCEPT LOSS COSTS LICENSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Refusal to accept a consignment of beans because of a drop in the market caused the R. D. Otter Company of Louisville to lose its food license today.

RECORDS SMASHED BY WOMAN GOLFER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PINEHURST (N. C.) Feb. 20.—Miss Dorothy Campbell Hurd of Pittsburgh, former national champion and medallist in the last national tournament, broke all records made by women golfers in recent years on the championship course at Pinehurst by playing the course today in 39, 42—81. J. D. Armstrong of Buffalo played against Mrs. Hurd in today's round and is still congratulating himself on lasting all the way to the fourteenth hole.

TIMES NEWS SUMMARY WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE 2, THIS SECTION

TORPEDO STEAMER; 110 PERISH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 20.—One hundred and ten persons perished when the steamer Dives was torpedoed in the Mediterranean on February 1, according to an official announcement. The attacking submarine was not seen. [The French steamer La Dives, of 1777 tons, sailed from Marseilles. She was owned by the Compagnie Generale Trans-Atlantique and was formerly the steamer Prinz Willem V.]

Review of Operations.

GERMAN ARMY READY; "WE ALSO," SAYS BAKER.

Bulk of Kaiser's Armies Now Assembled on the Western Front.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Secretary Baker, in his weekly communique issued today, regards the impending German offensive on the western battle line with a note of confidence.

Both the Allies and the Germans, he says, after extensive preparations, silently and systematically carried on, are ready for battle.

By massed attacks of shock troops, specially drilled and maneuvered for weeks for the onslaught, Secretary Baker says, in agreement with expert military opinion abroad, the German General Staff hopes to smash through.

But the Secretary of War points out that the German high command must realize it will encounter far more difficult tactical obstacles than any other attacking army has hitherto encountered. Apparently the Secretary, with much information at his command which cannot be given to the public, shares the opinion of the Allied experts that the line will withstand any German shock against it.

BOGUS NOBLEMAN IS REMANDED TO PRISON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Pleas of not guilty to three indictments were entered by Edmond Rousselot, self-styled "Marquis di Castello" who posed as a French diplomat and confidant of King Alfonso of Spain, when arraigned in the Federal court here today. In default of bail, the bogus nobleman was remanded to the Tombs.

In addition to charges of obtaining money under false pretenses, he is accused of violation of the espionage act.

Scores of American Aviators Killed or Injured Since United States Entered the W

Long List.

CASUALTIES IN THE AIR BECOMING EPIDEMIC.

Percentage Declared Very Low, Considering the Increased Amount of Flying Done by Cadets.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 20.—Falls, collisions, injuries and fatalities of army planes at the aviation fields seem to have reached the epidemic stage, according to the opinion in aviation circles. However, the older men in the business seem quite surprised that the list of dead and wounded has not been considerably larger.

Gen. Saltzman, acting chief signal officer, declared that the percentage of casualties among the students must be accepted as being very low when it is considered that the number of men flying is increased each day.

The fact was cited that at a certain training school the flyers average about 1700 hours of flying a day, equivalent to a continuous flight of 102,000 miles, or four times around the world. Considering the amount of flying done each day and also that the flyers are, in the majority of cases, very young and inexperienced, the percentage of fatal accidents is remarkably low.

DISREGARD OF ORDERS.

Gen. Saltzman further points out that many accidents resulting in injuries and deaths have been directly due to a total disregard of orders. Officers in charge of aviation camps report that young flyers display an irresistible tendency to attempt all the stunts known to experienced flyers just as soon as they are entrusted with a machine.

In France and in England, where the men are up against the real game of war instead of having much time to experiment, they are naturally more serious and careful. Very few deaths have been reported from overseas and among the few reported most of them occurred in action.

In the training school, the danger is not so great if the students obey orders.

On the battlefield the flyer is always fighting odds that are worse than 100 to 1. He is open to attack on all sides at all times by any number of the enemy; he is a constant target of the land forces and at the same time the danger of an explosion or engine trouble is ever present.

KILLED AND INJURED.

Following is the list of American airmen who have been killed or injured since we entered the war:

APRIL, 1917.

28—West Point. Walter G. Kilner and Harold O. Martin, Signal Corps, captains, crashed into a tree, fell thirty feet. Neither injured.

29—Houston, Tex. Ralph Kelly, aviation student, lost control, plunged 150 feet to death.

MAY, 1917.

1—Pensacola, Fla. Ensign D. R. Vankirk, U.S.N., fell 1000 feet into Pensacola Bay, and drowned.

5—New York. Privates Ransom Marrit and Anthony Spliene, fell 1000 feet to death.

8—Newport News. Victor Cartstrom and Carey B. Epes, machine collapsed, fell 3500 feet, killed.

14—Chicago. Aviator Kelter and student J. E. Eberzell, fell 2000 feet, slightly injured.

16—Newport News. Ted Hequembough and Lawrence Curtis injured when plane fell seventy-five feet.

20—Buffalo. Fred W. Zimmer killed, Seymour H. Knox, Jr., seriously injured executing spiral.

JUNE, 1917.

4—San Diego, Cal. Sergt. N. Foy and N. E. Robbins collided at rate of ninety miles per hour, both fell, neither injured.

13—Minneola, N. Y. William K. Carruthers killed by blow from propeller.

JULY, 1917.

18—St. Louis. Capt. John Barry, struck alone when landing, knocked unconscious.

AUGUST, 1917.

2—New York. Charles Fleischmann and Harry Witz, instantly killed when seaplane collapsed in great South Bay.

2—New York. Capt. Ralph I. Taylor, lost control and plunged 800 feet to death. Sergt. Thomas Bell, who accompanied him, suffered broken jaw, internal injuries.

3—Wellsburg, W. Va. C. H. Lambert, student, killed, and E. L. Frey, instructor, probably fatally injured in 300-foot fall. Motor stopped.

7—New York. Henry Wells killed by blows of propeller.

12—Toronto Out. Cadet S. H. J. Dorr, in collision fell 800 feet to death. Neck broken. Other flyer landed safely.

21—Dayton, O. Eugene W. Hayes, student, fell into revolving propeller, instantly killed.

22—Buffalo. Charles A. Wall, Jr., and Richard H. Mead, burned to death when machine caught fire in air. Experimenting with smoke bombs.

SEPTEMBER, 1917.

8—Mt. Clemens. Lieut. Jacobs, instructor, and a student, injured in 300-foot fall.

7—Rantoul, Ill. Sergt. Weedon and Sergt. Tersanta, seriously injured in 1000-foot fall.

12—Williston L. I. Bonter, aerial coast guard, and Austin Seuchtwanger, civilian, fell 1000 feet into water of Long Island. Engine stopped.

13—Fort Hill. Roderick R. Kennedy, died from burns received when he fell 200 feet in burning airship.

13—Washington. Theodore B. Lyman and Edward M. Walsh, killed in collision in mid-air.

14—Belleville, Ont. Cadets Kreomer and Denville, killed in collision.

17—Camp Bowden, Ont. Cadet Whetrick was killed when his machine made a nose dive of 150 feet. Motor stopped.

19—Camp Bowden, Ont. Second Lieutenant Williams and Cadet Lidfeed, killed when struck by another machine passing behind them.

OCTOBER, 1917.

14—Great Lakes. Lieut. Lee Hammond and a reporter volplaned 6000 feet into Lake Michigan. Gasoline supply exhausted.

15—San Antonio. Lieut. John Frost, U.S.R., and Lieut. McLaughlin, fell 100 feet. Frost not injured, McLaughlin seriously injured.

16—Dayton, O. Frank Amiss fell. Both legs fractured. W. T. Miller, Oscar C. Wright and Lieut. H. M. Sanford also injured in fall.

21—Ft. Sheridan. Maj. Benedict and Capt. Connolly, caught by gust of wind and crashed into ground. Neither injured.

22—Camp Mohawk, Ont. L. E. Roebuck, lost control and plunged to death.

NOVEMBER, 1917.

1—Tokio. Frank Champion fell 500 feet to his death.

5—Bay Shore, N. Y. John W. Reynderl, student, fell 2500 feet into Great South Bay and was killed. Plane turned over.

9—Boston. William Eastman, Jr., killed by blow from propeller.

11—Fort Worth. Cadet Walter I. Jones, fell 800 feet in spinning nose dive to his death. His passenger unhurt.

13—Fort Worth. Second Lieutenant R. L. Johnson and Sergt. Malloy, fell in practice flight and were killed.

24—Pensacola, Fla. Herman Bose, lost control, plunged into bay, drowned.

26—Fort Worth. J. C. Mathews, student, fell 2500 feet to death.

DECEMBER, 1917.

2—Chanute Field, Ill. Cadets Frieburg and Moses, collided, fell 400 feet, both slightly injured.

15—Fort Worth. Two unidentified aviators burned to death. 5000 feet in the air.

16—France. Private Harold Ainsworth was killed in airplane accident.

19—France. Leon Benett, killed while flying in French training school.

21—France. Lieut. Harold B. Willis, who fell behind German lines, August 18, not dead, prisoner.

26—France. Everett Buckley was knocked down from a height of 5000 feet near Verdun. Not killed, taken prisoner.

27—France. Stuart Wolcott fell behind German lines. Fate unknown.

JANUARY, 1918.

2—Lieut. William S. Ely was killed in an airplane accident in France.

4—France. Sergt. George Houdek fell to his death while training.

7—San Diego, Capt. Roy Knoggle narrowly missed a squad of soldiers who were drilling and crashed into a bath-house. Uninjured.

14—Paris. Harry Johnson and Lardrin Ovington injured in battle with three German flyers.

16—Minsola, N. Y.—Aviator Harold Blakely and Mechanic Edward Higgins fell 200 feet and were killed.

16—Momence, Ill.—Lieut. Patrick O'Brien, who was shot down and captured by German, has returned safely to United States.

26—France. Lieut. Oliver P. Sherwood and First Lieutenant William H. Cheney and Private George A. Beach were killed in an airplane explosion.

26—San Antonio, Cadet Frank L. Seely and Cadet V. E. Dunham were killed when they collided. Both were trying the spiral dive.

28—San Diego. Harry S. Aldrich, student, injured and Maj. William J. Neveraeux narrowly escaped injury when their plane turned turtle.

24—France. James R. McConnell was killed.

26—Lieut. Carl S. Mather was killed at Ellington Field.

FEBRUARY, 1918.

4—Paris. W. S. Taller was shot down behind the German lines. Fate unknown.

7—Lawson, Okla. Lieut. Dudley A. Loomis and Lieut. Loftin Stamps fell fifty feet to death.

12—Memphis. Cadets T. C. Rogers and B. F. Cooley were killed in a collision 200 feet in the air.

13—Canadian front. E. Grant, D. A. Craven and W. W. Cuthbert were killed in action.

13—Houston. Waylee B. Bradley, cadet, fell 100 feet and burned to death when the gasoline tank exploded.

12—England. Roy O. Garver was killed in training.

12—Fort Worth—DeWitt J. Pane fell to death in order to save a young flyer.

12—Jennings, La. Lieut. Egbert McKean lost control and was killed.

12—Lake Charles, La. Lieut. L. F. Plummer was killed while training.

13—Forth Worth. Lieut. Peyton G. March died after a fall on Hicks Field.

13—Fort Worth. Lieut. J. L. Wray and cadet reporter killed in collision at Hicks Field.

14—Texas City. Cadet Donald W. Gleason was killed in a trial flight.

16—Fort Worth. Vernon Castle fell to his death.

18—Washington. Ensign Albert D. Sturtevant has been shot down in European waters.

19—Dallas, Tex. Victor L. Dennis, fell 1000 feet and was burned to death.

EDITOR IN BAY STATE TO REPRESENT FINNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FITCHBURG (Mass.) Feb. 20.—Santerni Nuorteva of this city, editor of Raivaajaa, a Finnish Socialist newspaper, was notified today of his appointment as representative in this country of the Finnish provisional government. He will make his headquarters in Washington and will have charge of food shipments and other matters affecting Finland.

OBITUARY.

Andrew J. Doran.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PRESCOTT (Ariz.) Feb. 18.—Andrew J. Doran is dead at the Pioneers' Home, an institution he helped found when president of the Territorial Legislative Council, and in which he had served as its first superintendent. The immediate cause of death was cerebral hemorrhage, though for a year past, mainly spent in Los Angeles, he had been ailing. Burial will be after receipt of advices from relatives in Iowa and California.

AMERICAN CASUALTIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Second Lieutenant John J. McNeely, Washington, D. C., and Private Irvin C. Sutton, Lansing, Mich., were reported today slightly wounded in action in France February 12. Corp. Ellie L. Capley, Adrian, Ga., and Privates Charles W. Durant, Sheridan, Wyo.; Frank Wolfe, Ashland, Wis., and Elmer Wise, Fairview, Wyo., were slightly wounded in action February 17.

THE TUSCANIA LIST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. — Two names were added to the roll of Tuscania known dead tonight by the War Department. They are Sidney W. Bernitt, Marshfield, Or., and Eugene W. Snyder, Rimrock, Wash. Both had been listed heretofore among the unreported of American soldiers on board the liner when she was torpedoed.

Seventy-four American soldiers who were aboard the torpedoed liner Tuscania remain unidentified or unaccounted for today, according to the latest checks of lists of survivors and missing available to the War Department and the Associated Press. Included in this number are thirty-three unidentified dead buried in Scotland and forty-one still reported as missing.

WOMAN TO OVERSEE FOOD CONSERVATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ITHACA (N. Y.) Feb. 20.—Miss Martha Van Rensselaer of the department of home economics, New York State College of Agriculture, Cornell University, has been appointed head of the divisions of home conservation of the United States Food Administration.

Miss Van Rensselaer's work will include the supervision of plans for conservation in homes in all the States of the Union.

TEN ENEMY PLANES DOWN ONE AMERICAN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Vice-Admiral Sims advised the Navy Department today that the American seaplane, in which Ensign Albert Dalton Sturtevant, U.S.N.R.F., was lost, is alleged by the Germans to have been shot down in flames. Ensign Sturtevant was second pilot in the machine.

"Apparently this machine was attacked by ten enemy planes," the dispatch states.

CURTAIL COAL FOR GLASS FACTORIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Use of fuel for the manufacture of ordinary window glass was ordered curtailed 20 per cent. tonight by Fuel Administrator Garfield.

The step was taken with the full approval of the manufacturers and labor engaged in the industry.

SUGAR BEET INQUIRY BEGUN AT STOCKTON.

GROWER EXPLAINS COST OF PLANTING AND HARVESTING HIS CROP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 20.—The Federal commission appointed to determine the price to be paid by sugar factories to beet growers began a two days' session here today. Commissioners John M. Perry, Merle J. Rogers and Prescott F. Cogswell participated in the hearing.

There are two sugar factories in this county, at Tracy and Manteca, respectively. Most of the beets used are produced in the sand lands of the irrigation district. The industry is only four years old, and the experiments of farmers were inquired into very carefully.

The testimony of Ed Powers, a farmer of Manteca, was that he valued his land at $200 per acre, and said it cost him $2.50 to plow per acre. This includes 25 per cent. depreciation on equipment, he declared. Planting costs 50 cents an acre. Replanting amounts to little, he told the commission. Seed costs him $3 an acre. For hand labor, he said, he paid one-third of the crop, which includes thinning and hoeing, topping and loading. His estimate cost per acre was $59.22. His average per acre for 1917 was fourteen tons, but for the past four years his average was twelve tons.

As to factory methods of payments, he said factories paid on the sugar content of the beets. On 13 per cent. sugar the factory paid $5.50 per acre. Beet tops, he told the commission, were fed to sheep, yielding $2 per acre returns. His gross returns were $60.67 per acre.

Mr. Powers's cost prices were not far above the average, but other farmers who had secured a larger yield and had sold their beets under contract averaging from $5.65 to a higher scale for high sugar contents, indicated profits of from $19 to $20 an acre.

The hearing will be continued tomorrow. The sugar factories are represented at the hearing by John D. Fredericks, who cross-examines witnesses.

HEAVY SEAS DAMAGE MANY FISHING CRAFT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 20.—Damage amounting to several thousand dollars is reported as having been done to fishing craft off the Lower California coast in the last forty-eight hours by the heavy seas running in these waters. The floating cannery John D. North, bound from San Pedro to Magdalena Bay, had to put into port here today to escape further buffeting by the seas. Several skiffs and small craft were driven ashore and wrecked and many nets were lost. An uncharted rock in the regular steamship lane, about twenty-five miles southwest by south of Ben's Rock, San Martin Island, was reported today by Capt. Stephen Ghio of the fishing launch Panama. The rock is barely covered by water at low tide, he said.

THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP.

THE SKY. Cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., northeast; velocity 10 miles. Thermometer, highest, 56 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Forecast, Thursday, probably rain. Fresh southerly winds.

For complete report see last page of Part One.

THE CITY. Defense attorneys will attempt to prove that Senator Lyon drew a gun on Marie Pinson Edwards, charged with slaying him, before she shot him in the course of the trial today, it was indicated.

The war motif was dominant as the San Bernardino Orange Show opened with a blaze of glory exhibiting the Southland's best in many lines.

Two Los Angeles women have been honored by the French government for their war work, according to a message received by the French Consul.

Co-worker of "Weeping-Eye" Wilson, convicted of fraud, was placed on probation by the State Board of Medical Examiners. Three doctors lost their licenses.

Germans who failed to register according to the President's order are to be interned and forced to provide useful articles for America.

Reports of various bureaus of the Chamber of Commerce show that the city's growth is the greatest in the history in the past year.

A remarkable letter was offered as a will for probate in the Superior Court telling of a woman's life filled with despair.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Rain is falling throughout Southern California and whole State is being drenched, with prediction by Weather Bureau that downpour will continue.

Ranchers organize drainage district at Hynes that will reclaim thousands of acres of best sugar beet land in this part of the State.

Underwear manufacturer says that men of the draft army are bigger than those in the old regular forces and he has had to increase sizes of underwear designed for their use.

Ohio Society is planning to hold its annual picnic at Long Beach next Saturday. Charles W. Fairbanks and Gov. Stephens will be the principal speakers.

Santa Monica fishermen make record haul of halibut which brings highest price ever received for similar fish.

SLOPE. San Francisco's Mayor requests Golden Gate Park Commissioners not to slaughter bison in park, which plan has been announced; telegram from New York also protests proposed slaughter.

Redwood City woman book-keeper is sentenced to ten years in prison after her conviction of arson.

Sacramento gets big army aviation school; constructions plans announced provide for seventy-eight buildings; site covers 780 acres.

Federal inquiry into prices paid in sugar beet industry opens at Stockton; farmer testified regarding cost of production over past several years.

Federal food officials in San Francisco declare American navy has cut sinking of food ships by U-boats from 8 to 10 per cent.

WASHINGTON. Ship tonnage gaining despite U-boat losses; four million tons new ships expected to be constructed in United States this year.

German army ready for offensive but Allies are ready for any action, says Secretary Baker's report on war events. Bulk of Kaiser's army now on western front.

Second draft will be a steady stream of men; hundred thousand will go to camp each month, according to announced plan; first contingent to fill vacancies in National Guard.

GENERAL EASTERN. Fifty Illinois cities are reported without flour; Food Administration there admits shortage is acute with no prospect of immediate relief.

Merchant opposes blanket rate on private cars for shipping fruit and vegetables, at hearing before Interstate Commerce official.

Russian situation proves too big load for Wall street to easily carry and trading is restricted with investment issues under pressure.

Boston psychologist declares Bolsheviki are insane; he says war times has affected mentality of working classes world over.

FOREIGN. Lloyd George quiets turmoil of opposition; explanations regarding Allied Supreme War Council ends controversy caused by retirement of Gen. Robertson, former Imperial Chief of Staff.

German plans for east told in Reichstag; time for resumption of war is put upon Bolsheviki; Ukraine supplies considered of great value to Teutons.

Austrian Premier declares Ukraine peace was necessary to get grain for

THE GREAT WAR. Southern Esthonia has been entered by troops from German warships in the Gulf of Riga or from Moon or Oesel islands lying off the shore and a base established from which operations may be carried on against Reval, an important port on the Gulf of Finland; northeast and east of Dvinsk and penetration along the railroad lines leading to Petrograd and Smolensk. In last exploits, had reached more than twelve miles, and thence southward to Southern Volhynia, the invasion was in progress over wide areas, with the Germans taking prisoners and guns, rolling stock and other booty in large quantities.

Swedish advices are that there has been a return of the old-time practice of carrying out massacres against the Jews. Bloody pogroms are declared to have been committed in Lublin, Rashkoff, Tiraspol and other towns.

On the battle front no big engagements have been fought, although in Palestine the British, operating against the Turks, again have pushed forward their lines on a front of fifteen miles east of Jerusalem and secured much-desired positions. The advance was to a depth of two miles. On the fronts in France, Belgium and Italy only bombardments and minor infantry operations are in progress.

Fifteen British merchantmen were sunk by mines or submarines last week, according to the weekly statement of the British Admiralty. This was a slight decrease over the sinkings of the previous week.

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Financial.

NEW LOAN FORECAST.

Higher Rate of Interest Indicated.

Advance Certificates of Indebtedness will Pay Four and One-half.

Resources of the National Banks Show Decrease from the High Record.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Future issues of treasury certificates of indebtedness planned in preparation for the third Liberty Loan will bear an interest rate of 4½ per cent., or ½ per cent. more than issues of the immediate past.

This announcement was made tonight by Secretary McAdoo, together with the statement that the $500,000,000 block of certificates, closed last week, was subscribed in full only because banks in New York and other big financial centers took more than their share and offset the scanty subscriptions from the rest of the country.

About $2,500,000,000 in certificates remain to be issued at the higher rate before the third loan campaign, probably in April, and the rate for all will be 4½ per cent.

THE NEXT LOAN.

This inbrease in the rate offers an indication of the treasury's perspective on money market conditions which may affect the next Liberty Loan. The second Liberty Loan, issued at 4 per cent, was preceded by several issues of certificates at 3½ per cent., but this rate was increased to 4 per cent. for the last blocks before the second loan. A similar situation preceded the first loan, which was at 3½ per cent. In both cases the interest rate of the loan was the same as the rate on the last issue of certificates preceding.

Announcement of another issue of certificates, part of the $3,000,000,000 certificate programme in which banks have been asked to participate by appropriating 1 per cent. of their total resources weekly for purchase of the certificates is expected within another week. The last block was announced two weeks ago and it was said that, others would be offered every two weeks.

RECEIPTS.

Receipts from the last issue had swelled the net balance in the treasury to $916,221,000 today, and disbursements recently have been about $40,000,000 a day.

Although the number of banks subscribing to the last issue of certificates was twice that for the preceding block, Secretary McAdoo said, the amount of subscriptions from the country at large was distinctly disappointing. The subscription of the entire amount offered, said the Secretary, "was due to the patriotic action of the larger banks in financial centers, notably New York, in taking more than their share of the issue, and thus making up the deficiency which arose from the failure of other banks to respond to the request made of them."

Only the New York and Kansas City Federal Reserve districts exceeded their allotment. The Minneapolis district equaled its allotment.

It was disclosed by the Secretary's announcement that some banks failed to respond to the Secretary's appeal two weeks ago to lay aside at least 1 per cent. of their resources weekly to invest in certificates. Another telegram is being sent to each of these banks and the request will be followed up by the treasury and through the Federal reserve bank organizations.

Holders of 3½ per cent. bonds of the first Liberty Loan may convert them into any future issue at a higher rate of interest and the 4 per cent bonds of the second loan, or converted 4½'s, may be exchanged for bonds of the third loan only, unless Congress provides otherwise.

Secretary McAdoo already has Congressional authority to issue $3,666,000,000 more Liberty Bonds at a rate to be prescribed by him. It will be necessary for him to obtain legislation for additional issues if that amount is to be exceeded for the third loan.

BANK RESOURCES.

Resources of national banks on December 31, the date of the last call of the Comptroller of the Currency, were $18,073,308,000, or $479,589,000 less than the high record of last November 20, when settlements connected with the second

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THE DAILY HERO.

Brave Deeds of Men in America's Fighting Service.

Although he had been in the service but a few months, when the time came to display the courage and gallantry of men of the United States Navy, it is recorded that Francis Marble Blair, a pharmacist's mate, third class, met the situation according to all tradition. Blair's duty was to minister to the sick. However, chance gave him a different opportunity to show what he was made of. While serving on a United States ship in home waters he went to the rescue of a bather who had gone beyond his depth at Ocean Beach, Cal. Blair had never been in the surf before so his task was all the more hazardous. With the aid of a shipmate he made the rescue. He has been commended by Secretary Daniels. Blair enlisted in the navy, May 5, 1917, at Salt Lake City, and gave as his next of kin, his father, David Marble Blair, of Laramie, Wyo.

WARNING FROM THE GOVERNMENT.

It has come to the notice of the national War Savings Committee that solicitors of various publications are using this patriotic campaign as a means of inducing people to donate war savings advertising to their publications.

This is not done with the authority of the National War Savings Committee, and merchants, advertisers and individuals are hereby requested not to contribute such copy, since it is our desire that there shall be no commercializing of the patriotic motives that prompt to help in this important campaign. All requests for war savings advertising will come direct from the office of the State Advertising Bureau or from the State director. When such requests come, as come they will, we ask the hearty co-operation of all merchants, advertisers and interested individuals.

Remember, this warning is for your protection. It does not apply to the merchants and advertisers who are including "War Savings copy" in their regular advertising. However, we wish to protect you against solicitations from unauthorized persons, and if application is made to you for advertising space, please report the fact to this office, provided the party making solicitation does not bear a letter of official authorization from the State director or from the manager of the State Advertising Bureau.

G. A. DAVIDSON,
State director National War Savings Committee for California (South.)

CANNERS' PRICE FOR FUTURES DISCUSSED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Representatives of the National Canners' Association and many wholesale and retail dealers conferred today with officials of the Food Administration regarding an administration ruling concerning dealing in futures in canned peas, corn, tomatoes, salmon and sardines.

The rule provides that all bids for future deliveries inclusive of those to the government shall be subject, when necessary, to revision to a fair price, as determined on a cost plus profit basis.

DOUBLE MIDDLEMEN'S PROFITS CONDEMNED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Double middlemen's profits on foodstuffs, with a resultant price advance to the consumer, caused by the practice of wholesalers in selling to each other to make up depreciated stocks, were condemned today in a statement issued by the Food Administration.

Nationalities.

FRENCHMAN SUPERVISES STRATEGY OF ENTENTE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 20.—The centralization of control of the Allies has been made in time to meet the coming German offensive on the west front. When Lloyd George spoke of plans adopted at the Versailles conference he undoubtedly referred to plans to repulse the expected German offensive wherever it may be delivered, for it is recognized that the ostentatious preparations in Northern France may really camouflage an attack upon Italy or upon some other part of the Allied front.

Official information was withheld today about the Allied council or about this country's part in extending its powers. Secretary Baker said he knew nothing of the report Lloyd George referred to and assumed that it had been written by Gen. Bliss. When Lloyd George's speech is read carefully it suggests that the inter-Allied organization consists of a sort of inter-Allied war cabinet—the political side of the Versailles council, made up of the various premiers and an inter-Allied General Staff.

CONCEPTION.

The conception of the military organization is disclosed by the British Premier, when he says that it was at first proposed at Versailles that the central authority should consist of a council of national chiefs of staff. This idea was later abandoned, he says, as unworkable. What would a council of chiefs of staff be except an inter-Allied general staff? The first form which the idea of an inter-Allied General Staff would take would be a meeting of the chiefs of staff of the several allies.

National staffs are subordinated to this inter-Allied General Staff. That

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"THE TIMES" DAY BY DAY CIRCULATION GAINS.

Gains, gains, gains from all over the Southland are added to The Times' circulation week after week, for daily and Sunday. Following are the latest day-by-day figures as compared with last year:

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February 14, 1917..	65,897	February 13, 1918..	75,508	9,611
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The Great War.

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New Attempt to Enter the Trench United States Forces—Prisone Taken by the French.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 20.—French detachments made a lunge on the Germans in Lorraine today, entering the lines over a large front, and capturing more than 400 according to the War Office announcement tonight.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Feb. The Germans again attempted a raid against the A last night but the raiders were discovered and the sponding to rocket signals, laid down a heavy barrage stantly. The Germans' path back to their line was red lines.

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HOPE FOR GENERAL PEA VOICED IN THE REICHST

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 20.—Dr. Richard von Kuehlmann, the German Foreign Secretary, at the opening session of the German Reichstag today delivered an address to the members in which he dealt at length with the peace treaty signed by the Central Powers with the Ukraine, and the collapse of the peace negotiations with Russia. Count von Hertling, the Imperial German Chancellor, and Friedrich Von Payer, the Vice-Chancellor, were attentive listeners to the address.

Dr. Von Kuehlmann asserted that the pacific intentions of Russia could no longer be credited, but he said that even today Germany was prepared to conclude a peace "which corresponds with our interests." He instanced the peace agreement with the Ukraine as an indication of the readiness of the Central Powers for peace. He referred especially to the advantages which the Teutonic allies would derive during the present year from the economic treaty with the Ukraine and recommended the approval of the compact.

Speaking on the first reading of the Ukraine treaty, Dr. Von Kuehlmann said the Ukraine people's republic was a young state, reared on the ground of the former Russian empire after the decaying edifice of the Czar's empire, which shared the principal guilt for kindling the world's war, collapsed under the blow of the German army. The Ukrainian race was one of the strongest elements of the Russian empire. In respect to its minerals, coal and iron, the Ukraine was very rich and also possessed elements of its own industry.

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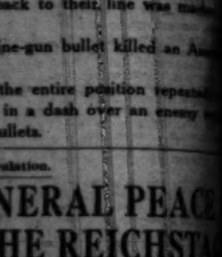

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WAKENING IN MEXICO.

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Plan Planned of German Minister Relied Deputies.

Plot to Cause Trouble United States is Exposed.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CITY, Feb. 10.—Ac- to El Universal, a pro-Ally daily of the permanent com- Congress is about to in- charges made against the Minister, Von Eckhardt, that members of the Cham- Deputies. The Universal this action and offers to documents proving that against him in their January 9 are well that date El Universal with a large sinister por- Excellency Von Eck- by a long article, be-

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His Excellency Von Minister of Germany, of the neutrality of Mexico and, therefore, of having abused the confidence of the Mexican people and their government.

We accuse His Excellency, Von Eckhardt, Minister of Germany, of having purchased a newspaper in the city of Tampico, with the object of inducing the thousands of workmen in the petroleum region to go on strike so as to place difficulties in the way of the exportation of that particular war material produced by Mexico and sold to the Allies.

We accuse His Excellency Von Eckhardt, Minister of Germany, of provoking, by means of the sheets which he subsidizes, the passions of the Mexican people against the United States of America, a powerful and neighboring country, from whose reprisals, if a conflict should unfortunately arise, neither Germany nor all the German gold could save us.

We accuse His Excellency Von Eckhardt, Minister of Germany, of having violated the constitutional laws of Mexico and the international laws, to the prejudice of the interests of Mexico.

We accuse His Excellency Von Eckhardt, Minister of Germany, of being the principal agent in bringing about the extreme poverty which is now afflicting the Mexican people.

We accuse His Excellency Von Eckhardt, Minister of Germany, of offending and libelling every day, through his newspapers, Mexican citizens who, on account of their political brilliance, are an honor to Mexico.

Defenders of the national interests and Mexican patriots, we call attention to the policy of His Excellency, Von Eckhardt, Minister of Germany, as disloyal to the government of Mexico, and offensive to the Mexican people, and, in the name of the national interests which have been prejudiced, in the name of all the sons of Mexico who are suffering the consequences of the policy of Mr. Von Eckhardt, we request his immediate expulsion from the country, having, as we have in our possession, the original documents which have been published in these columns, and which call for the German Minister being given his passports, in accordance with all doctrines of international right in force throughout the world.

RIVERS-HARBORS BILL IS SMALLEST IN YEARS.

MEASURE INCLUDES APPROPRIATION FOR LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH CHANNEL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The rivers and harbors bill, carrying $18,227,000, the smallest amount in years, was introduced today in the House.

Only one new project was included, and no provision was made for surveys.

The committee decided citizens of Crescent City, Cal., should be permitted to spend $300,000 on the harbor there, with the understanding that the government would complete the work after the war. It is estimated the entire project will cost $490,000.

The bill provides $130,000 for connecting Los Angeles and Long Beach with a waterway deemed necessary in connection with the shipbuilding programme.

Among the largest items are $5,000,000 for continuing work on the Ohio River, $3,200,000 fro continuing work in the East River at New York, and $1,700,000 for Southwest Pass, at the mouth of the Mississippi.

SHIPPED MUNITIONS; TWO HELD FOR TRIAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Four men charged with violating President Wilson's proclamation forbidding the shipment of munitions to restricted zones, came before the United States commissioner here for hearings today.

Marcus Silvan and Andreas Andreos of the crew of the steamer Peru were held in bail of $1000 to await the action of the Federal grand jury. Low Gow and Henry Parsons, members of the crew of the Dutch steamer Vondel, were dismissed for lack of evidence.

COAST'S WIRE ROPE CONTROLLED BY ARMY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 20. — Every inch of wire rope manufactured to be sold on the Pacific Coast or shipped in from the east or south now is controlled by the spruce production division of the United States Signal Corps, according to an announcement today by Col. Brice P. Disque, head of the department.

There was a serious shortage of wire rope when Col. Disque took charge of the spruce production campaign, he declared.

FARM LAND BANKS REPORT ON LOANS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. — The farm land banks loaned in January $11,787,000. The bank in St. Paul made $2,737,000 in loans; Spokane, $1,724,000; Berkeley, $1,143,000; Wichita, $1,118,000; Houston, $1,006,000; Omaha, $970,000; New Orleans, $779,000; St. Louis, $636,000; Louisville, $624,000; Springfield, Mass., $488,000; Columbia, S. C., $398,000, and Baltimore, $260,000.

AUTHORIZE ENTRY WITHOUT LICENSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The War Trade Board today published a general license, through the customs service, authorizing the entry into the United States without individual import license of all commodities which were in transit February 14 and for which an import license was unnecessary prior to the President's proclamation of that date.

86 DEGREES BELOW IN THE NORTHWEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Feb. 20. — Three Royal Northwest Mounted Police officers have arrived here from the Yukon territory and assert the north country is suffering the coldest winter in years. At one time last month the thermometer was 86 deg. below at the junction of the Pelly and Yukon Rivers. The officers said twenty-six people died at Dawson during a pneumonia epidemic in December.

Sixty-fifth Congress.

ROADS SAVED BY PRESIDENT.

Fiancial Need Forced Control Underwood Tells Senate.

Moratorium of Government Aid was Choice, He Says.

Transportation Bill Debate Occupies Congress.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The financial situation and not war needs or freight congestion, Senator Underwood of Alabama, told the Senate today, was the real cause for the government taking over the railroads. The Senate was debating the administration bill providing for Federal Control of the transportation lines during the war.

"The real cause was a question of finance," he declared.

Consideration of the bill was delayed in the House by a party fight over a resolution setting aside space in a local park for a monument to former President Buchanan ,but the debate will be taken up there again tomorrow.

Although speaking in support of the bill in the Senate today, Senator Underwood declared it "lacks limitation" and was "crudely drafted." He said he would not vote for it unless it was amended so as to provide for an indefinite period of government control. The existing law under which the President took over control of the railroads, he asserted, was unconstitutional because it did not provide for a "just compensation" for the carriers.

Senator Poindexter of Washington and Senator Sherman of Illinois, Republicans, also discussed the bill, the former urging the substitution of the original draft, placing final rate-making power in the hands of the committee. Senator Sherman supported the bill.

When the President issued his proclamation last December, Senator Underwood said, railroads faced $132,606,682 in maturing obligations on securities for 1918, while for the four years which would end in 1921 these obligations would total $995,000,000. Under normal conditions the railroads would have found no trouble in renewing them, but because of the war and the floating of bond issues by the government, it would have been an impossibility, he said.

TWO CONDITIONS.

"There were then two conditions facing the President," Senator Underwood continued. "Either the United States government must take over the railroads and finance these securities during the war, or Congress had to prepare a moratorium and provide that no suit be brought on these railroad bonds and foreclose them during the war and for a reasonable time afterwards, if we wanted to continue to operate great railroad systems of the country.

"I don't think there was a business man in the United States who did not realize that something must be done and the President, in his wisdom, decided on this course."

For that reason, he urged, it was now necessary for Congress to recognize the wisdom of the President's action and provide for it accordingly.

UNDERWOOD OPPOSES.

Senator Underwood opposed giving the President power to fix rates, declaring there is "no war power or war necessity involved in rate making."

Senator Underwood was followed by Senator Sherman, of Illinois, who supported the bill. He said he did not approve of all its provisions but as it is emergency legislation, he would vote for it.

"While we fight to make the world safe for democracy on the European battlefields, should we neglect democracy in the United States or fail to see that the great principles are carried out so as to make democracy safe, for our own peoples?" asked Senator Underwood.

"I think the time has come when we should pause and consider whether we have not made some mistakes through the generosity of Congress to respond to the nation's needs."

BROAD POWERS.

Senator Underwood thought the bill conveyed too broad powers but said he would vote for it unless it was amended to make government control indefinite.

"When you step one foot beyond the period of war and turn our transportation system over to one-man power," he said, "you are establishing machinery for oppression, building up an organization for destruction of business and endangering fundamental rights of the people.

"We have seen the autocratic government of Russia fall into the hands of an uncontrolled mob—sprung from the power of an autocrat to the despotism of a mob without checks or balances.

PROTECTION.

"Our own government possesses today the constitutional checks and balances that protect us from the despotism of the autocrat and the spirit of the mob, provided Congress will uphold them. When Congress is ready to surrender these constitutional checks and establish a government of men instead of law, then there is danger ahead for the American people."

Senator Underwood declared that since the bill was only a war emergency, the powers vested in individuals could be performed without danger. He supported the provision fixing compensation to the railroads.

"I don't think for a moment," he said, "that the President is going to pay all that the railroads demand or expect."

Substitution of the bill as originally drawn, providing for an indefinite period of government control and authorizing the President to fix rates for the measure as reported by the committee, was urged by Senator Poindexter of Washington.

COMMITTEE BILL.

"The committee bill overturns absolutely the initial rate-making powers of the State and Interstate Commerce Commission," Senator Poindexter said, "and imposes the vast burden of that complicated and technical work upon the President, giving the Interstate Commerce Commission the strange role of appellate power over the action of the President. Nothing whatever remains of the rate-making powers of the various State commissions.

"It would have been far better if the bill had contained a simple express provision, reserving in the Interstate and State Commerce Commissions their existing rate-making authority, with the provision that where necessary, only in the exercise of the duties imposed upon him by this act, the President might change rates so fixed. The mere spectacle itself of the President being subject in any of his action, to the orders of subordinate executive or administrative officials appointed by him, is undignified and humiliating. It is wholly unscientific and will be utterly ineffective."

CONTROL.

Senator Poindexter said those who believe in continued private control should support the bill as amended, since it restores private control, eighteen months after the war. But those who believe in government control and in the unification of the railroads into one system, to be operated under strict government supervision, with either private or public ownership, should support the original bill.

"I do not hesitate to say that the overwhelming consensus of judgment in this country is that our transportation system should not be returned to its former status," he declared.

The Washington Senator approved the standard of compensation provided.

"A VOTE A MAN" PLAN IN PRUSSIA LOSING.

CONSERVATIVES HAVE METHOD OF PLURAL VOTING AS SUBSTITUTE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 20.—In the lower house of the Prussian diet, Berlin advices say, the fight for electoral reform in Prussia is now entering its final stage. The contest in the special commision now centers around the choice between the government programme for equal and direct secret suffrage and the conservatives substitute measure which provides for a system of plural voting and representation based on professions and guilds.

While Vice-President Friedburg of the Prussian diet has hinted that the government might make a concession by revising certain essential provisions of its suffrage measure, the liberal and radical members of the commission vigorously oppose any modification of the government's attitude as repeatedly set forth by Chancellor von Hertling, Dr. Friedburg and Dr. Drews, the Prussian Minister of the Interior.

The commission today continued into discussions of the cardinal paragraphs, which are on the principle "a man a vote." If the national Liberal party representatives on the commissions are won over by the present minority, the measure is likely to be referred back to a plenary session, with the basic principle of electoral reform wholly eliminated or vitally altered.

ONE DEAD, MANY HURT IN WARSHIP BLAST.

CARTRIDGE CASE EXPLODES ON ARMORED CRUISER, NAVY REPORTS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—One man was fatally injured, two seriously and five slightly hurt in the explosion of a cartridge case last Monday on board the armored cruiser Montana, the Navy Department announced today. Boatswain's Mate Charles W. Pauly, Chicago, died while being taken to a hospital.

Seamen Roy L. Putnam, Phoenix, Ala., and Lawrence M. Ainley, Cawker City, Kan., were seriously hurt.

The slightly injured were: Private Richard M. Guion, Marine Corps, New Orleans; Seamen William T. Friedrichs, Chippewa Falls, Wis.; Charles E. Fyle, Lamar, Colo.; John H. Atterson, Salmons, Ky., and N. T. Leroy, home address not given.

No details of the explosion were announced.

JUNIOR RED CROSS CONTEST IN SCHOOLS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Arizona and California are in a spirited contest to see which State will be the first to enroll every school, both private and public, in the Junior Red Cross before the membership campaign closes on Washington's Birthday. Announcement to this effect was made here tonight at the headquarters of the Pacific division of the junior Red Cross.

Nevada was the first State in the Pacific division; it was announced, to report a full enrollment after a conference held in Reno, Nev., presided over by Gov. Emmett Boyle of that State.

The estimated 650,000 school children in California, Arizona and Nevada more than 75 per cent. already have enrolled in the Junior Red Cross, according to Mrs. H. A. Kleugel, junior Red Cross director of the Pacific division.

ARMY RED TAPE CUT BY SECRETARY BAKER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Through the approval today of an order permitting the direct reference to military matters to the division handling them, Secretary Baker eliminated a large section of War Department "red tape." Heretofore all papers destined for the military officials had to pass through "channels" leading to the office of the adjutant-general. From there they were distributed to the staff departments. After a decision had been reached, the papers in each case had to move back over the route they had come.

TROTZKY'S SURRENDER EXCITES GERMANY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The news that Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, sent a wireless message to the German Imperial Chancellor, Count von Hertling, accepting the peace terms of the Central Powers, has caused great excitement in Berlin, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam. Chancellor von Hertling is expected to make a statement in the reichstag tomorrow bearing on Germany's reply.

HAYS RESIGNS FROM COUNCIL OF DEFENSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 20.—Will H. Hays, recently elected chairman of the Republican National Committee, tendered his resignation as chairman of the Indiana Council of Defense to Gov. Goodrich today. His selection as head of the national Republican organization prevents him from continuing to give so much time to the Defense Council's matters.

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WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Winter Again Sweeps Down From Canada Upon Northwest and Middle West.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 20.—Winter, the well-known enemy, sweeping through Canada, has flung himself again upon the Northwestern and Middle-western States and the thermometers struck their flags in surrender.

The temperature has sunk in the face of the blasts—as much as 45 deg. in twelve hours—and the weather will stay cold several days. There's no danger of a flood now.

In some places in Chicago the temperature stood at 6 above zero.

"It will be about zero tonight," said Assistant Forecaster Mitchell, "and remain cold throughout the week, moderating a trifle Friday and Saturday. There's no mild weather in sight. Medicine Hat, by the way, came into her own today with a temperature of 44 below."

Temperatures generally yesterday, as reported by the United States Weather Bureau in Los Angeles, were as follows:

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	58	20	Pocatello	37	4
Boise	34	20	Portland, Or.	38	32
Bismarck	24	6	Rapid City	42	24
Boston	36	26	Red Bluff	62	34
Buffalo	30	20	Redlands	68	34
Calgary	22	0	Reno	46	24
Chicago	32	6	Riverside	68	34
Denver	18	0	Roseburg	52	32
Des Moines	32	6	Sacramento	56	32
Dodge City	42	12	St. Louis	36	12
Escondido	57	41	St. Paul	30	12
Eureka	52	36	Salt Lake City	42	16
Flagstaff	40	14	Sacramento	48	32
Fresno	62	44	Salt Lake City	42	16
Galveston	58	50	Santa Barbara	62	42
Havre	18	20	S. Bernardino	67	40
Helena	4	14	San Diego	60	46
Huron	30	6	San Francisco	56	40
Independence	32	24	San Francisco	48	40
Kamloops	14	22	S. Luis Obispo	60	32
Kansas City	12	6	Seattle	42	32
Knoxville	32	4	Spokane	34	10
Los Angeles	66	46	Tampa	74	52
Medicine Hat	20	20	Tonopah	36	22
Modena	38	4	Tucson	72	32
Mt. Tamalpais	52	42	Valentine	36	12
Needles	60	44	Washington	42	32
New Orleans	70	58	Winnemucca	42	20
New York	34	32	Winnipeg	16	0
North Head	44	42	Yuma	66	42
Oklahoma	42	12			
Omaha	30	6	*Previous day. —Below zero.		
Phoenix	68	36			
Pittsburgh	36	26			

DAMAGE SUITS, HINT OF DEPORTED I.W.W.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BISBEE (Ariz.) Feb. 18.—From labor sources are coming intimations that a large number of damage suits are to be filed soon against Sheriff Wheeler and a number of individuals who were prominent in the deportation last July of 1100 I.W.W. and their associates. This is a matter in which a leading part is expected to be borne by W. B. Cleary, a Bisbee attorney, who was included in the throng taken in cattle cars to Columbus, N. M.

It is considered probable the matter will be taken into the Federal courts, as the forced journey was an interstate one.

At the same time is heard much talk of the imminence of another strike, with assumption that changed political conditions will permit the return here of the I.W.W. element and an effective tie-up of the mines, the most productive of the Southwest. From both sides have come denials of this strike rumor.

The companies have been employing the steadiest American workmen who could be found and believe they can rely upon the fidelity of a force at least equal to any ever before known in this district. The union organizers declare the strike rumor has been spread in order to injure them and their work and deny any connection with the "wobblies."

BRITISH WAR BILLS THIRTY MILLIONS DAILY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 20. — Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, speaking in the House of Commons today, said the average daily expenditure during the four weeks ending last February 16, was £6,384,000.

BRITISH BACK POLES' PEACE PACT DEMAND.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The British government has instructed its agent at Kiev to make the declaration that Great Britain will not recognize any peace in the east which involves Poland, without a previous consultation with Poland.

VISITING PRIEST INJURED.

While walking at Sixth and Olive street last evening, Father J. C. Carberry, a visiting priest from Toronto, Can., fainted and severely injured his head on the curbing. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where he was given emergency treatment, and later was removed to the Pacific Hospital. He is 65 years old.

U-BOATS NOW POLICED AGAINST OUR GUNNERS.

AMERICAN NAVY CUTS SINKINGS OF FOOD SHIPS EIGHT, TEN PER CENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The American navy has hammered down loss of food ships from 12 to 2 per cent. of the total tonnage, E. F. Cullen, a representative of the Federal Food Administration, direct from Washington, told members of the Press Club at a luncheon here today.

"So much in fear are the German submarines that other German submarines are assigned as policemen to see that they obey instructions," Cullen said.

Eighty million tons of wheat in Australia and millions of tons of sugar in Java were not available to the Allies because there are not boats to move them, he said.

Of the benefits of "meatless days," Cullen mentioned that when German submarines sunk twenty-eight of forty meat ships plying between England and South America, the remaining twelve were diverted here and are being provisioned with meat saved by the American people. As a round trip to this country takes only half as long as to South America the efficiency of supply ships is doubled, he said, and England is correspondingly better off.

MERCHANT OPPOSES PRIVATE CAR RATES.

TELLS COMMERCE COMMISSION BLANKET CHARGE SHOULD BE ITEMIZED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—S. C. Scales, a member of the National League of Commission Merchants, testified today before the Interstate Commerce Commission in connection with the investigation of rates paid to private car owners by carriers.

"I am opposed to the so-called blanket charge on shipments of vegetables and fruits in refrigerator cars," he said. "By the blanket charge, I mean that rate made to shippers by railways which covers all reicing of the cars at various points along the route, the icing of the cars at the point of departure and the general care of the shipment.

"I am in favor of a rate to which the cost of the various items I have mentioned may be added, that is, the shipper in addition to a fixed rate per 1000 or 100 pounds shall pay for the care of the shipments during transortation."

The question of rates which shall be equitable to both the railroad and the private car owners has been before the commission for more than five years. After the completion of the hearings in Chicago the end of this week the case will be taken on to New York where the final briefs covering evidence taken during the past five years will be submitted by the attorneys for both sides of the controversy.

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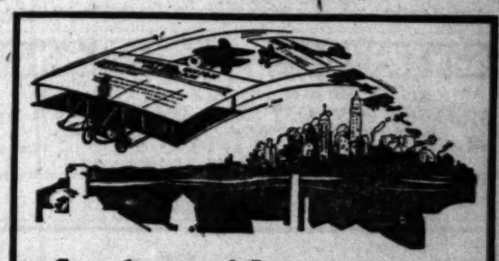

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

HYNES, Feb. 20.—The approval by the Supervisors of the petition to organize Drainage District No. 4 in the Clearwater, Bellflower, Hynes, Artesia territory, marks the beginning of one of the largest and most important development projects in Southern California.

The drainage of this territory, which embraces about 20,000 acres of a very fertile soil lying just outside the city limits of Los Angeles, with the very best of transportation, will open up a territory which will add several million dollars annually to the wealth of this county.

DRAINAGE NEEDED.

The United States Department of Agriculture, through the bureau of soils, has made a survey of this district, and published a bulletin and map which show that on account of the water table being so close to the surface, that the alkali is deposited to such an extent that successful farming cannot be carried on, and that even if there is no alkali apparent, that drainage is an absolute necessity for successful agriculture. This is also confirmed by our State authorities from the agricultural college of Berkeley.

WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

In the Westminster district, where they are just completing a drainage system for 6000 acres, having voted $25,000 in bonds, they have $2500 left and their dredger. This makes the cost a little over $3 per acre. On the Bixby and Hellman ranches, which are two of the largest in Southern California, extensive drainage systems are being put in at a cost of $1000 per mile, and in these districts the production has been increased per acre many times the cost of the drainage.

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IMPROVEMENT BODY DISCUSS HIGHWAY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BALBOA BEACH, Feb. 20.—The completion of the Coast highway between Huntington Beach and Laguna Beach was the subject of discussion at a dinner held at the Balboa Beach Hotel by the South Coast Improvement Association. The importance of this piece of highway, which will complete the wonderful coast boulevard, was discussed at length.

Members of the association present included H. L. Heffner, Huntington Beach, president; J. P. Greeley, Balboa Beach, vice-president; J. R. Armitage, Sunset Beach, secretary; Mayor E. E. French, E. F. Anderson, Huntington Beach; E. E. Jahrus, John Skidmore, Laguna Beach; E. J. Lewis, Los Angeles; E. E. Richardson, Victorville; L. H. Wallace and Trustees George P. Wilson and J. J. Schnitker, Newport Beach.

CONCRETE CONDUITS FOR WATER SYSTEM.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 20.—Plans have been worked out for a system of meeting the expense of replacing the irrigation canals of the Pioneer Water Company, which run diagonally through the city of Porterville, with a system of four-foot concrete conduits.

The city has prepared to pay one-quarter of the cost, the property owners will be assessed one-quarter and one-half is to be paid by the ditch company.

Cases are now pending in the city and county courts in which property owners are seeking an order to compel the company to replace the ditch with a pipe system, on the allegation that its use as at present constitutes a menace to the public health.

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SUNDAY-SCHOOL TO HOLD CONVENTION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Feb. 20.—At a meeting of the Ministerial Union and the county Sunday-school superintendents held here it was decided to hold the next county Sunday-school convention in this city on May 9 and 10.

This is one of the largest gatherings of its kind in California and two-thirds of the membership is in Los Angeles county. It is estimated that between 1200 and 1500 delegates will attend. The programme will include addresses by Sunday-school workers of national reputation.

BEE KEEPERS WILL MEET AT REDLANDS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 20.—E. F. Atwater, special field agent in bee keeping for the United States Department of Agriculture, was here today with M. J. Meeker, county apiary inspector, for the purpose of arranging a big convention of the bee keepers of this section. It will be held here on March 19 and 20.

The programme has not been completed, but some of the bee inspectors of the country will be here. George S. Demuth of Washington, D. C., will be one of the speakers and Prof. G. A. Coleman of the University of California will also give a talk.

The meeting will be of great interest, for the bee men are hoping to double the production of honey to relieve the sugar situation.

SCHOOLS CLOSED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 20.—Grammar schools of Porterville, closed one week because of an epidemic of measles and opened again Monday last, have again been ordered closed for an indefinite period by the Board of Education.

Reports of the teachers in the various grades were to the effect that more than one-third of the pupils are absent from classes, more than 500 pupils being confined to their homes either by their own illness or that of members of their families.

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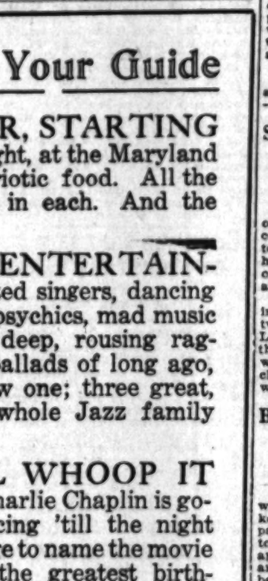

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 20.—To save wear and tear on street corners frequented by those with nothing better to do than to start conversation clubs thereon, Street Superintendent W. W. Milliken has suggested to the City Commissioners that a stand be erected for this purpose at the corner of Third street and Santa Monica boulevard.

"If they can't 'hire a hall,' we can at least provide a platform from which they can air their views by the hour without obstructing traffic or having their toes stepped on by the passers-by," concluded the city official.

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MEN IN DRAFT ARMY ARE BIG.

Underwear Specifications had to be Enlarged.

Manufacturer Pays Tribute to Women of Nation.

Alien Enemy Registration Finished at Pasadena.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Feb. 21.—Nathan Hatch, president of the Field & Hatch Knitting Co., of Albany, N. Y., who personally has designed all the under clothing now worn by the army, navy and Marine Corps, is a visitor at the Hotel Maryland. He is also the inventor and designer of the one-button union suit.

The mills of his company were the only one commandeered by the government and are working exclusively on service underwear.

The Field & Hatch company is running its mills day and night and turning out 1500 dozen garments a day, according to Mr. Hatch. Men and women to the number of 1200 are given employment and since the war started wages have been increased 40 per cent. The company spins its own yarn, the spinning mill being located at Cohoes, N. Y., and run by water power.

"An interesting detail of our work is that the Quartermaster Department has just taken into consideration that the men of the selective draft army are larger in size than were the soldiers of the regular army," said Mr. Hatch.

ABLE BODIED MEN.

"Formerly we were called upon to make garments ranging from 30 to 40 in sizes but now the standard har been changed from 34 to 42, according to word I have just had. It means that there are more big able-bodied fellows being drafted than those who were formerly members

"When the war started we were of the regulars handicapped for knitting needles, most of which were German made, but now we are learning to make both the latch and spring needles in our own factories and the trouble has been almost overcome.

"A percentage garment is being manufactured for the service. It contains between 33 1-2 and 40 per cent. wool, according to the class of garment. The army underwear is heavier than that of the navy and Marine Corps, the former weighing eleven pounds a dozen and the latter about seven and one-half pounds."

ACTIVE WORKERS.

Mr. Hatch is a director of the Army and Navy League of Albany, James Fennimore Cooper, son of the famous author being the president. He has the highest praise for the work of the women of the country.

"Actually, our women shame the men with their intense interest and enthusiasm. They have entered into the war work with the best that is in them, while there are many men who have not been aroused to the situation.

"I wish I could employ such interested workers as the women have proven themselves; one may hire wage-earners, but not interested workers," Mr. Hatch continued. "In the East in the manufacturing business those who have had the responsibilities of war have been under immense pressure, but have individually done little more than have thousands of women throughout the land, who have volunteered their services."

GERMANS COMPLY.

Pasadena has ninety-six well-behaved Germans, according to Chief of Police W. S. McIntyre, who yesterday completed a check of the alien enemy registration and found it to be correct. All addresses given were visited by the police and a list of twenty-five German suspects, most of which were furnished the police by neighbors, after investigation proved to be without foundation.

Howard Emert, who died at Allentown, Pa., while serving as a member of the Ambulance Corps, was buried yesterday afternoon with military honors from the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Rev. C. A. Spaulding officiating. The Home Guard formed an escort of honor to Mountain View Cemetery, where the interment took place.

Rainfall yesterday was .03 inches; for the season, 2.73; for the sterm, 1.67.

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Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

STUDENTS CAMPAIGN FOR SMILAGE BOOKS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Feb. 20.—Principal H. P. Reynolds of the Pomona School, who is in charge of the smilage campaign being waged in this city in behalf of the boys' entertainment, perfected organization of the boys of the entire residence district of the city yesterday afternoon. The result last night was $370 had been collected by the boys together with a number of promisses.

Today they have been working the business men in the district and a very gratifying response.

OHIO SOCIETY PLANS FOR ANNUAL

FORMER VICE-PRESIDENT GOV. STEPHENS WILL DRESS GATHERING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Feb. 21.—Nathan W. Fairbanks, former vice-president of the United States under William D. Stephens of California, will be the chief speaker at the annual reunion and picnic of the Ohio Society of Southern California, to be held in the Municipal Auditorium next Saturday, if the present plans of the organization materialize.

The former residents of Ohio visiting Buckeyes will meet in the lower floor of the auditorium for a basket dinner at noon, after a programme of music and speaking has been arranged for the afternoon on the main floor of the public meeting hall.

Officers of the society are: Robert McCoy, president; Ross Hamilton and Fred Dillman, vice-presidents; F. A. McAllister, secretary, and John O. Rankin, treasurer.

TO FIGHT MOSQUITOES.

It was revealed at a meeting of the Long Beach City Council in defense today that the county, in the inside passage between Long Beach and Los Angeles harbor, would result in a saving of $10,000 hitherto not taken into consideration.

It will mean that the county's planned campaign against the lowly but pesky mosquito will be aided to a great extent by the dredging operations in a most effective manner to check the insect invasion.

The building of [illegible] was brought out at the meeting today, will result in the filling or drainage of scores of [illegible] pools of stagnant water in the depressions of the [illegible] the path of the channel. Drainage will be the main [illegible] drainage of other pools.

City Health Officer [illegible] lor, a member of the [illegible] reported that satisfactory progress was being made in the campaign against the mosquito, which the State, county officials of both Los Angeles and Long Beach have pledged to operate.

DOUBLE FUNERAL.

A double funeral service was held at the Central Undertaking parlors Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, for Mrs. [illegible], aged 90 years old, and [illegible] Wood, 78 years old.

The elderly women were old friends in Portsville, Ohio, more than a quarter of a century ago, and a few hours before they died yesterday. Following the funeral services here the bodies were taken to Porterville for burial.

Each of the women was born and lived here with a sister. It was the wish of the two that should they die within a few hours of each other that they be buried side by side, and that if possible a double funeral service be held.

The daughters of the women and friends decided that it would be best their mothers should be buried here. Mrs. Beardsley has been living in California for [illegible] years, coming to this city from Ohio eight years ago. She lived at 429 Orange avenue.

Mrs. Wood had been living in California thirty-four years, coming to Long Beach seven years ago to live with her daughter, Mrs. [illegible] of No. 1301 East [illegible] street.

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BICYCLISTS WILL RACE TOMORROW.

Weather permitting, a ten-mile amateur handicap bicycle road race is to be held Washington's Birthday, the start being made from Griffith avenue and North Broadway, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Among the riders that will take part in this race, which is being promoted by Mr. Harry Richmond, local bicycle enthusiast, is Ralph Kingsley, a Western Union messenger boy, who has won quite a little fame along with numerous first place and time prizes in the bicycle races held in Southern California during the past two years. Two other fast local wheelmen will ride from scratch with Kingsley. They are George Mulder and Lawrence Wilmer.

The course over which this bicycle race is to be held leads out El Centro road to West Alhambra, returning over Huntington boulevard to the starting point, and is considered a fast route.

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[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

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Track Manager Sullivan is negotiating with the University of Southern California and the Los Angeles Athletic Club for a meet against the combined teams, but so far no answer has been received.

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LEE DELHI BACK IN ANGEL FOLD.

Lee Delhi, for two years a holdout, mailed in his signed contract to Secretary "Boots" Weber of the Los Angeles ball club yesterday afternoon. Delhi, who is considered a talented hurler, stated further that he will report for spring training on March 1.

Delhi was the property of the Angels several years ago, being transferred to the big leagues and finally bought back by the Seraphs from the Pittsburgh club. At that time he secured a lucrative position at Ray, Ariz., and refused to report for diamond duty.

HANK GOWDY DOESN'T TAKE TO GAS MASKS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
BOSTON, Feb. 20.—"It makes no difference how many years a fellow wears a catcher's mask, it does not give him one bit of training for wearing gas masks," writes Hank Gowdy, former star catcher of the Boston Braves, in a letter just received here. Hank is a member of the One Hundred and Sixty-sixth United States Infantry with the American expeditionary forces "over there," being one of the first baseball players in either of the big leagues to enter the service.

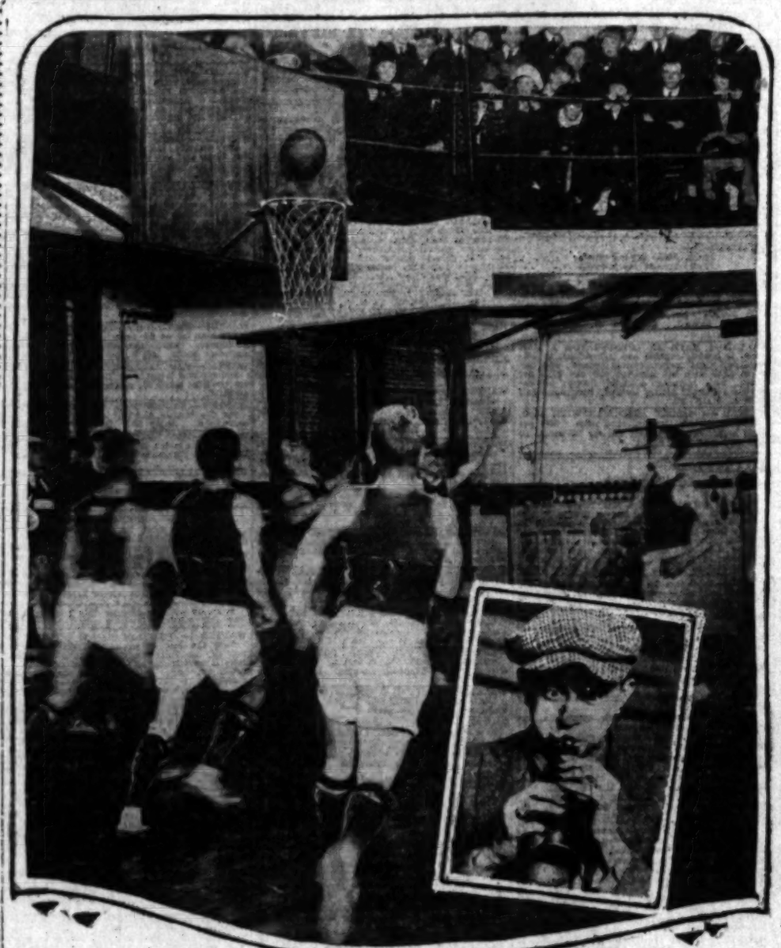
"Gas masks," writes Hank, "I hate 'em, I'll bet they're worse than the gas itself. I am almost attempted to risk it. They're hard things to handle, hard to put on, harder to keep on and hard to take off again. A fellow does get fresh air through his baseball mask, but these things—they are next door to suffocation."

OCCIDENTAL TO HOLD INTERCLASS MEET.

Occidental College is all wrought up over the annual interclass track meet, scheduled for this afternoon on Patterson Field. This event always excites a great deal of interest among the Tigers and Tigerettes, and is doped to go to the upper classmen this year.

CHALLENGE GAME.

A challenge game of basketball will be played this afternoon between the 110-pound quintettes of Hollywood and L. A. High schools. Unless rain intervenes the battle will take place on the outdoor court of the new L. A. High School.



Settling the prep basketball title.

Above, we see the casaba slipping into the basket, having received its motive power from a gentle shove administered by Cox, the lanky party at the right. The insect is a likeness of the "Mad Piper of the Foothills," a Hollywood High youth of musical propensities, who composed several weird impromptu battle anthems in honor of the title encounter.

FAIR WEATHER IS PLEA OF ATHLETES.

With the entry list complete and a record number of contestants promised for the A.A.U. relay carnival Saturday, track athletes of the Southland are praying that Jupiter Pluvius will have a heart and quit using Bovard Field for a handkerchief in time that the cinder path may dry off.

"If it rains Friday night we will be compelled to postpone the carnival a week," was the statement made last night by Dean Cromwell, chairman of the A.A.U. Committee.

KELLY, WELTER STAR, TO MEET MALONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 20.—Spike Kelly, the welter star of Doc Krone's staff, will meet Jack Malone over the ten-round route either in Milwaukee or one of the Twin Cities, the latter part of the month. The promoters are anxious to stage this match and articles probably will be signed tomorrow.

FRANKLIN TO MEET JEFFERSON NINE.

The Franklin High School will mingle with the Jefferson High nine this afternoon at the Arroyo Seco playground in the first practice game for either team. The outcome of the game will give an idea what the two teams will do in the City League. No dope has been given out by the coaches and the game should be full of thrills.

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HILLMEN WIN CASABA TITLE TO WEIRD MUSIC.

BY JAMES DE CAMP.

INSPIRED by a misguided youth who imagined himself possessed of untold talent in the manipulation of a wondrous Chinese festival horn, the savage Hollywood High Hillmen skated over and around the aspiring Glendale basketball quintette for the Southern California title yesterday afternoon, securing official ownership of the pennant by a 29-15 score.

Since the occasion was one of wonderful import in the realm of the casaba enthusiasts, several hundred natives of the cities concerned made the soggy trip to the Y.M.C.A. that they might feast their eyes upon every detail of the historic encounter. Preps can produce a fair amount of stentorian fireworks when imprisoned by the four fences of a football field with no upper boundaries but the sky, the sun, and, perhaps, a fleeting cloud or two. Imagine this prodigious volume of sound imprisoned in an unsuspecting gymnasium, picture ten wild-eyed, short-pantied, perspiring youths flesing after a symmetrical remnant of glorified pig hide, and add to all this the thin, high-pitched, persuasive tones of some foreign-born instruments of acoustical torture and questionable pedigree, and you have the data complete. The mad musician indulged in weird, piercing reveries that transported one to the sandy wastes of the Sahara and broke down the doors to the scented secret chambers of the Sultan. No basketball game has ever been waltzed off to such orchestration, and, if we have anything to say about it, the future will not witness another such painful accompaniment for an afternoon of casaba chasing.

The argument started off with a dash of peppery aggressiveness on the part of the Glendaleites that caused the Hillmen to settle down seriously to the paramount task in hand. In the third minute of play Hollywood's first point was recorded, being thrown by Capt. Tony Wayahn on a foul. Two winks later an over-ambitious Glendale man wrapped himself around the sinewy form of Wayahn, only to commit another foul. By this time, Cox, the lanky Foothill center, had decided to bestir himself to action and succeeded in planting one squarely through the ring for the first goal from field of the fray. This started a miniature landslide of tallies that somewhat disconcerted the valley boys, causing them to become over-eager on the defensive and commit a choice array of fouls. The half ended with Hollywood leading, 20-8.

Glendale resumed the fray with a terrific onslaught that forced the Hollywood delegation to defend its own basket with great diligence during the first five minutes of the period. Bentous and Williams committed four personal fouls apiece and were shipped to the dressing-room. Li'l Don Wieman, a member of the widely-known and much-beloved house of Wieman, then stepped in at center for Glendale and celebrated his advent by spilling "Lanky" Cox, his auburn-tipped opponent, upon his classical stern. With Cox resuscitated, the Red and White representatives settled down to form again and chalked down nine more points, being so eager for blood that they did not stop playing for several minutes after Timer Foley declared festivities at an end until next year.

The line-up:

Hollywood (29.)		Glendale (15.)
Warahn (10)	Forward	Tunnell (6)
Randolph	Forward	Pascoe (3)
Cox (16)	Center	Williams
Kinnaid	Guard	T. McIver
Sentous	Guard	W. McIver

Substitutions: For Hollywood, Grady (3) for Sentous. For Glendale, Brown (2) for Tunnell, Wieman for Williams.
Referee, Horning; umpire, Stilwell.

EXCITING GOLF AT CORONADO TOURNEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
SAN DIEGO, Feb. 20.—An exciting match that went to the twenty-second hole before a decision was reached featured today's play in the Coronado open championship golf tournament. L. Chamberlain, of Coronado, won from George T. Newhall, of the Grizzly regiment, by one up after three extra holes had left the pair tied. This match was the most closely contested of the tourney.

L. B. Hakes won from S. E. Watson, one up; R. Bensinger won from S. E. Bensinger, three and two; F. R. Scovel defeated J. W. Chatterton, three and two. Hakes vs. Bensinger and Chamberlain vs. Scovel is the drawing for the semi-finals which will be played tomorrow over the thirty-six hole course. The finals are scheduled for Friday.

In the consolation flight, G. M. Booker will play W. N. Keck; C. G. Ross will oppose Geo. Dobyns in the semi-finals of that flight.

C. Stebbins won the medal play for the Hotel Del Coronado guests and country club members, for the lowest net score, turning in a card of 73. He also had the lowest gross score, but under the rules could not accept both medals, the second going to L. A. Goddard whose gross score was 93.

In Crown City.

TENNIS MEET OPENS TODAY.

Tournament to be Held at Hotel Huntington.

Profits Go to Army and Navy Wool Fund.

Play Likely to Develop Some Dark Horses.

Another tennis tournament will take place today when the annual midwinter championship affair will be played on the Hotel Huntington courts for the benefit of the army and navy wool fund. Play will continue until Saturday. Many well-known racquet artists will be seen on the courts and some exciting games should result. It is expected some dark horses will develop.

The first round will commence at 9:30 o'clock in the morning, when the curtain will be raised and the women will make their appearance. Mrs. William M. Henry will play Miss Hisky, who is one of the dark horses, and Miss Drohn will be seen in action against Miss Ewings.

Mrs. Walter Ellis, a fast player of the fair sex, will be seen in the tournament. All three of the Hawkes brothers are with us again, as are the Duque twins. Snodgrass and Winne, the latter being the man who makes the schedule, will be seen later on in action against Reinke and Reinke, two more brothers that have entered.

The officials will try to run the tournament off in three days. Following are the drawings:

Ladies' singles — Miss Florence Westlake vs. bye; Mrs. Walter Ellis vs. bye; Miss Ramona Rensberger vs. Miss Iola Lemmex; Miss M. Hisky vs. Mrs. William M. Henry; Mrs. Bayer vs. Miss Mabel Newell; Miss Mildred McKim vs. Miss Jessie Grieve; Miss Jones vs. bye; Miss Mary L. Ewings vs. bye.

Men's singles—Hopgood vs. bye; Rager vs. bye; Davies vs. bye; Barker vs. bye; Ed Simmons vs. S. Smith; Reed vs. Greenberg; Dr. Harvey vs. William Hawks; Blakesley vs. Winne; D. Jones vs. Nieto; E. W. Hawkes vs. K. Hawkes; Grepin vs. Bowers; Hardeman vs. bye; Baiano vs. E. Berry; Snodgrass vs. bye; Mace vs. Hinckley; Sinderff vs. bye.

Men's doubles—Greenberg and Sindorf vs bye; Duque and Duque vs. Rager and partner; Bowers and partner vs. Harvey and partner; Reinke and Reinke vs. Snodgrass and Winne; Brown and Davis vs. Simmons and Adams; H. W. Hawkes and Smith vs. Hopgood and Hicks; Sinsabaugh and Davies vs. W. B. Hawkes and partner; K. N. Hawkes and Barker vs. E. Berry and Hinckley.

Schedule for today—9:30 o'clock, Miss Drohn vs. Miss Ewing and Miss Hisky vs. Mrs. William M. Henry; 10:30 o'clock, Miss Rensberger vs. Miss Lemmex and Mrs. Bayer vs. Miss Mabel Newell; 11:30 o'clock, Miss McKim vs. Miss J. Grieve; 12:30 o'clock, Miss Westlake vs. Miss Ellis. The winner of Miss Rensberger vs. Miss Lemmex will play the winner of Miss Hisky vs. Mrs. William Henry; 1:30 o'clock, Winne vs. Blakeslee and Smith vs. Simmons; 2:30 o'clock, W. Hawkes vs. Dr. Harvey and Reed vs. Greenberg; 3:30 o'clock, Hopgood vs. Rager and Davis vs. Barker; 4:30 o'clock, winner of Mrs. Al Bayer vs. Miss Newell, will play winner of Miss McKim vs. Miss Green, and winner of Harvey vs. W. Hawkes will play winner of Blakesley vs. Winne.

HARBOR MEN READY FOR VERNON AGAIN.

The second contest of the three-game series between the San Pedro Merchants and the Vernon Athletics will be played next Sunday on the Maier Park field. San Pedro annexed the first game of the series, which was one of the fastest contests played during the winter season. Brown and Schneider presented a "pitchers' dual to the fans, with the left-hander having the better of a 2-to-0 score.

Great rivalry exists between these two aggregations and the managers have strengthened their line-up for the second meeting. Pete Schneider and Chet Thomas will perform the battery work for Goodman's Athletics, while Curley Brown and Cook will form the battery for the shipbuilders' nine.

OXY AND QUAKERS TO MIX SATURDAY NIGHT.

With the Conference basketball season approaching the grand finale Occidental and Whittier will mix on the Quaker court Saturday night. At present the Tigers are leading the other Conference quintettes by a good margin, but nothing would delight the wily Quakers more than to take the Eagle Rock denizens down the line for a casaba humiliation. The other Conference game for Saturday is that between Pomona and Redlands, to be played at Redlands.

POWERS BACK HOME, SILENT AS CLAM.

Johnnie Powers, our eminent baseball magnate, returned yesterday afternoon from his mysterious trip to San Francisco. Powers's peregrinations are in the north still as much of a mystery as ever, the genial Seraph declaring that he took the little jaunt for a matter of private business. While in the Bay City Powers ran across Judge McCredie and Bill Rodgers.

RELAY CARNIVAL ON TODAY'S PROGRAMME.

Weather permitting, Doc Skinner will conduct an interclass relay carnival at Fraser Park this afternoon for the edification of the Poly High track athletes. A score of teams have entered the meet and Skinner is all worked up over the prospect of unearthing some "dark horses" in this novice competition.

$595

Emerson Grand
"Cherita" Style

The name "Cherita," a little dear, accurately describes this Emerson Grand. This Grand is meeting the demand for a very small Grand, a piano possessing the mechanical characteristics of the Grand together with a satisfactory tonal quality. Its size and its beautiful tone will at once endear it to all lovers of the Grand Piano. Very beautiful mahogany case, and it requires no more space than an upright.

PLATT MUSIC COMPANY
Platt Bedine
Next to Orpheum
—627 South Broadway—
Liberty Bonds Accepted at 100.
Open until 9 o'clock evenings.

MOTOR CAR DEALERS' ASSOCIATION DIRECTORY

BUICK—HOWARD AUTO CO., 1323 So. Flower St. Home 60009, Main 9040.

CADILLAC "8"—DON LEE 12th and Main Sts. Phones: Main 8763; 60339.

CHALMERS—HUPMOBILE—Greer-Robbins Co., Twelfth and Flower Streets. Broadway 5410; A1187.

Wet Weather Goods
at Wholesale Prices
ARMY-NAVY STORE
530-532 South Main St.

Feather-Kote, as light as a feather and guaranteed in every respect to be strictly waterproof. Folds so tight that can almost be carried in pocket. A wonderful value and a real gentleman's coat $6.45

Oxford Gray Slip-on, waterproofed and rubberized, heavy weight, a big value $5.95

Olive Gray Slip-on, with fancy plaid lining and absolutely the best value we ever offered $3.95

Raynster Extra, heavy oxford gray, strictly waterproof raincoat with corduroy collar, vulcanized seams, pockets with flaps, automatic buckles $9.95

Men's heavy weight drill-lined dull black gum rubber coat, corduroy tipped collar, double back and ventilated, large automatic buckles. Bargain price $3.95

Officers' Reversible Capes, can be worn by policemen and civilians; rubber on one side, oxford gray on the other. Big values at $9.00

You will save money at the ARMY STORE on Rubber Boots, Rubber Shoes, Umbrellas, etc., and find a complete stock.

Free City Delivery.

CAL HIRSCH & SONS, PROP.
A. HARRIS, MGR.

Camp Kearny
REVIEW

Washington's Birthday
Friday, Feb. 22d

Trains for Camp Kearny direct will leave Los Angeles Thursday night at 11:59 P.M. with sleeper through.

Friday Morning

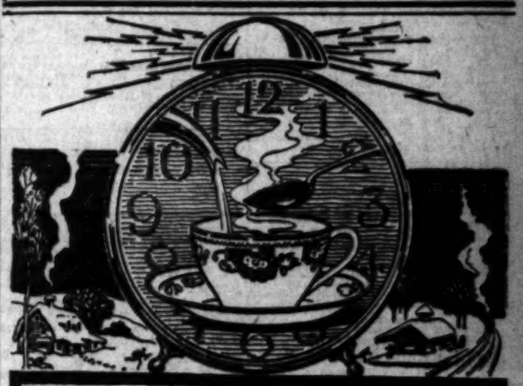
Going: Leave Los Angeles 9:00 A.M., 9:30 A.M.
Arrive Camp Kearny 12:55 P.M., 1:30 P.M.

Returning: Leave Camp Kearny 4:30 P.M.
Arrive Los Angeles 8:30 P.M.

The Review is at 2:30 p.m.

$5.13 The round trip (includes war tax)

E. W. McGee, General Agent
Six Eleven Hill Street
60941 Main 738
Santa Fe Station
60792 Main 8235
Phone service day or night



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A Minute To Lose

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is a friend indeed. Made in the cup instantly, and mighty delicious and nourishing.

"There's a Reason"

National
Orange Show

San Bernardino, Feb. 20-28

$2.70 Round Trip
including War Tax

On sale February 19-28.
Return Limit March 1st.

Los Angeles Day
Saturday, Feb. 23.

Chamber of Commerce

Special Train leaves 9:00 a.m.

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Watch Your Blood Supply, Don't Let Impurities Creep In

Pure Blood Means Perfect Health.

The average druggist has bundled hundreds of medicines in his day, some of which have long since been forgotten.

But there is one that has been sold by the druggists throughout this country, for more than fifty years, and that is S. S. S., the reliable blood medicine, that is purely vegetable. Many druggists have seen wonderful results accomplished among their customers by this great old medicine, and they know that S. S. S. is one of the most reliable blood purifiers ever made. Keep your blood free of impurities by the use of this honest old medicine, and if you want medical advice, you can obtain same without cost by writing to Medical Director, Swift Specific Co., 23 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Classified Liners.

AGATE TYPE ONLY.
Accepted subject to the following rates and rules:

Rates: The rate for inserting PREPAID classified ads or liner advertisements in the Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; in the Sunday Times, 2c per word each insertion; minimum space accepted, 10 words. Rates are also applicable to each single or consecutive insertion, except under the following conditions: the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 3½c per word Sunday, minimum space acceptable for single insertion and to each consecutive insertion, 30 words; daily, or Sunday; "Help Wanted," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Rooms and Board," "Rent Improvement Notices," "Money to Loan," "Lost and Children," "Money to Loan, Diamond and Jewelry," "Physicians, Medical," "Detectives," "Masterwork" and "Rates and Leasings."

An extra charge of 25 per cent. is made for the use of capital letters.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

White space and dashes are charged for on the basis of seven words to a line.

Ads not paid are counted strictly by the word.

For paragraphing or lined-up matter set in caps, count 10 words to the line; in lower case, count 8 words to the line; set at 70 agate lines to the inch. Minimum space, 10 lines; maximum space, 70 lines; estimate 6½ (6) words for the first line, and eight (8) average words to each succeeding line in this kind of advertising; the actual number of words so sold is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unfilled line.

Classified Advertising CHARGED TO ACCOUNTS will be received on the basis of 8 cents a line for each insertion of a line classified word advertisement subject to the prepaid rate of 1 cent and 1½ cents per word; and 16 cents a line daily and 20 cents a line Sunday for each insertion of a display advertisement; minimum space accepted, 4 lines; estimate 6½ (6) words for the first line, and eight (8) average words to each succeeding line in this kind of advertising; the actual number of words so sold is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unfilled line.

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The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in classified advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Errors not the fault of the advertiser, which greatly lessen the value of an advertisement will be rectified only when reported within the first insertion, on presentation of receipt within five days after insertion. No allowance will be made where the error is unimportant, materially affect the sense or purpose of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising omitted, nor for any error or omission that may occur in other issues in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for payment of "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders for discontinuance or change "till forbid" advertisements.

Advertisements ordered for insertion in Sunday's Times cannot be discontinued or changed after 9 o'clock p.m. Saturday.

Telephone orders to discontinue advertising in The Times are numbered in the order filed. No other orders will be accepted, and the number of the order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof; if not satisfactory the discontinuance will be rebated unless the "daily order" number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 115,000 copies, and is greater than the combined printing of its nearest competitor in this city, or any two Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisement. Ring up Times, Main 8200, Home 10691, any time of day or night; service prompt and careful attention.

The Times does not knowingly accept objectionable advertisements of any kind or character. Should any such be inserted, "Cash-Quick," etc.—and it was ever reasonable promptness to keep its advertising columns clean and free from objectionable matter.

This is a guaranty of protection to its readers, as well as to its legitimate advertisers.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

HOME FOR LIFE FOR $1000—
If 40 years of age or under and in good health. This means room and board for life for you or your wife in a beautiful new home, one mile from Los Angeles City Hall, and provide it free as anything in Southern California. Must be willing to work. Address Box 6, Times Office. Call between 10 and 12 Sunday. Ask for Mr. Gaither, the gardener, who will explain with every room. This is not a sanitarium, home or institution, but a home. Only $1000 required. Don't write unless you can pay $5 per day in this hotel. Address Box 6, Times Office. Call between 10 and 12 Sunday. Ask for Mr. Gaither, the gardener, who will explain with every room. This is not a sanitarium, home or institution, but a home. Only $1000 required. Don't write unless you can pay $5 per day in this hotel. Address Box 6, Times Office.

ROOFING—WEAVER ROOFING,
Mission Red Roofing, Trestle Asphalt Roofing
Contractors, 1000 Maple ave.
HARRY W. WEAVER.
PHONE 10691. MAIN 8200.

FLAT WITH GARAGE, $20. Call 1000 E. 23rd. Phone 10691.

Call REPAIR DEPARTMENT for roof coverings and roofs of any kind.

PHRENOLOGY HERE WEEKLY.
Phrenological readings by experts. Absolutely impartial. CONSULTATION FREE. Partial list of treatments: GIVEN FOR GRAY HAIR, Hair Tonic, $1.00. GIVEN FOR DANDRUFF, Hair Tonic, $1.00. Scalp Massage, $2.50. Shampoo, 50c. Hot Oil, $1.00. Phone 10691. A2566.

WORRIED? DISEASED, ALL TROUBLES, SPECIAL, $2. W. C. THIEL, between Broadway and Hill, suite 208.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED, ELECTRICAL VACUUM machine cures any case, old or young; $5. HOLLY 3d and Main. 10 a.m. after 6 p.m.

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—WHAT HE DOES FOR
25 CENTS 50 CENTS
I will your money back how long you will live, if correct. I will tell you what you are best adapted to and how to promote it; tell you all about the kind of husband or wife you will have and when you will marry, if at all, and give you a horoscope with the love of any one you desire. I tell you of any favor, speculation, position of business you are about to undertake. Without question how to get or obtain the best results; I tell you exactly what your ambitions think of you. Exactly how to control them. I tell you exactly what

Classified Liners.

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED—PROFESSIONAL MAN WISHES TO rent private home, suitable to entertain; will pay liberal rental. Address O, box 2, TIMES ST. BRANCH.

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Well-secured $2000 trust deed, when executed immediately applied, valuable first street property. Owner 8 years, occupied one to less than four months.

Want clear bungalow or house to $4 to value. This is choice.

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WANTED— Miscellaneous.

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT.

Highest prices paid for Libbey, Smith and Corona typewriters; also for office furniture, safes and office supplies of every description. BOOK CO., 322 S. Main st. Phone Main 4158; Sunset, 1852. [Illegible]

WANTED — TWO-REVOLUTION 30-FOOT launch; must be cheap for cash. Address O, box 1, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FOR CASH, 2 OR 3 ROOMS NEAR Whittier; must be cheap. 449 GRAND AVE.

WANTED—CHEAP JOHN PAINTING OF men's clothing to be done. 716 E. 7TH ST.

WANTED—ROOMS BOUGHT; 500 TO 1000 where to make cash offer. 546 E. FIRST.

WANTED—TO BUY 2 BEDS FOR 2 PERSONS; must be cheap. 724½ E. 1ST ST.

WANTED—TO BUY OLDE CURIOSITY SHOP, everything, bric-a-brac, old furniture, china, glassware, books, mirrors, etc. 344 S. MAIN.

WANTED—ADDING MACHINE; STATE PRICE and make. BOOKS, 322 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND-HAND PIANO; must be cheap for cash. Address O, box 1, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—WINDMILL, TIMES, GOOD CONdition, 10-foot diameter, 1000 gallons per hour; state price. Address O, box 1, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—VACUUM CLEANING SYSTEM; must be cheap for cash. Address O, box 1, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—TO BUY PIANOFORTE OR PIANO; cash for small roadsters; to start business. 1 E. NINTH ST.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND DINING TABLE, 6 chairs, buffet, kitchen cabinet, etc. 1 E. 9TH ST.

WANTED—GOOD 24 OR 30-INCH WOOD range; must be cheap for cash. 1534 W. 22ND ST.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR PIANOS; BEST for theatrical. L. E. BOYLE, 327 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR PIANOS; BEST prices paid. 728 SAN PEDRO ST. Main 158.

WANTED— Furniture.

WANTED—I WANT TO PURCHASE YOUR furniture, carpets, stoves, etc.; will pay you more than you could get from dealer. Call 1113 S. MAIN ST.

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WANTED— Real Estate for Cash.

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WANTED—7-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW; must be especially large lot; must be close in; will pay cash. OWNER, P. O. BOX 1, CITY.

WANTED—BUNGALOW, 5 OR 6 ROOMS; must be modern; will pay cash. 1 E. 9TH ST.

WANTED—TO BUY 6 OR 8 ROOM MODERN bungalow; must be cheap for cash. 1 E. 9TH ST.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—

Small house of 4 or 5 rooms; must have fruit trees, on 50 ft. lot; in Alhambra. Will pay $1000 to $1200; for cash. Money waiting.

IND. A. MERRILL & SON, 212 Grant Bldg. Phone 13812.

WANTED—

Will trade stock or land in Porterville property for $50,000; will give several good six-room properties, some clear, some with small mortgages.

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WANTED—LOTS OR OTHER PROPERTY; investment quarter S. 27-14-13E. Address O, box 1, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FIVE TO FORTY ACRES NEAR San Fernando Valley. Owner, Box 1, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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T. J. HINDS, 326 UNION OIL BLDG. 7TH AND OLIVE.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, DIAMONDS, DIAMONDS. Also jewelry, old gold, silver; highest prices paid; confidential; reliable and square dealings. Gilmore Pawnbroker, fully licensed and bonded by State of California. Call or write 1000 S. VERMONT AVE. Phone 23760.

WANTED — DIAMONDS IN ANY QUANTITY; jewelry, old gold, silver; will pay 25 per cent more than any other dealer in town. Call or write 716 E. 7TH ST.

ACE GEM JEWELRY CO. Phone 10667.

WANTED — FALSE TEETH; HIGHEST price for old gold and silver in any form or without gold; will call. 1 E. NINTH ST. Phone Main 8158.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, GOLD AND SILVER; full value. 1 E. NINTH ST. Phone Main 8158.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, JEWELRY BOUGHT; highest prices paid. 1 E. NINTH ST. Phone Main 8158.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, WATCHES, JEWELRY; highest prices paid. 1 E. NINTH ST. Phone Main 8158.

BUILT-IN FEATURES, AVOID fads and ugly, antiquated ideas; our book, Beauth. ch. our home, 10c. ELKET Co., 2 stores, 241 S. Hill.

WANTED— Second-hand Clothing.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND CLOTHING; WILL save you money. Phone 10667. 716 E. 7TH ST.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR MEN'S and WOMEN'S USED CLOTHING; CALL AND SEE PRICES BEFORE SELLING ELSEWHERE. 1 E. NINTH ST. Phone Main 8158.

WANTED—USED CLOTHING; HIGHEST PRICES paid for men's and women's clothing; will call. Call or write 1000 S. VERMONT AVE. Phone 23760.

WANTED—MEN'S AND WOMEN'S CAST-OFF clothing; highest prices paid; will call at office. Broker and Commercial. 344 S. MAIN. Phone 10667.

WANTED—CLOTHING, FURNITURE, CARpets, stoves, etc.; will pay you more than dealer. Call 1113 S. MAIN ST.

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TO LET— Unfurnished Flats.

TO LET—NEW AND MODERN 6-ROOM UNFURnished flat, 2617 N. GRAND. Inquire at 113 S. SPRING.

TO LET—CLOSE-IN 5-ROOM MODERN FLAT, $30 to good tenants. 1426 S. LOS ANGELES.

TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, NEWLY DECORATED. WESTLAKE Park. Inquire 2022 W. 8TH ST.

TO LET—2 4-ROOM FLATS, MODERN, RENT right to adults. 126 N. HOPE.

TO LET—2 ROOMS, HARDWOOD FLOORS, WELL heat, range, $12-$13. Boyle Hgts. Main 10662.

TO LET—$17½, GOLDEN AVE., 6 ROOMS AND bath, clean in. Save car fare.

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET—

WESTLAKE TERRACE.

620 S. ALVARADO ST.

NEW, 5-ROOM DUPLEX APARTMENTS, SOUTHERN EXPOSURE, ADMIRABLY FURNISHED, EVERY CONVENIENCE; GARAGE; JANITOR SERVICE. BLOCK NORTH OF WESTLAKE PARK.

TO LET—6-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, HIGHEST point east Echo Park, view mountains, lake; steel ivory finish, sleeping porch, built-in wood floors; hot water heat, 10 minutes Sixth, Broadway. 1080 KENSINGTON RD. 55158.

TO LET—SOMETHING DIFFERENT. A furnished flat of four rooms, bath, and many closets; everything is new. $25. This includes water. 2709 SUNSET BLVD., near Douglas car. Phone 24808. Wilshire 2240.

TO LET—DESIRE REFINED LADY TO SHARE exclusive, beautifully furnished lower new flat, private, Catholic, charming neighborhood; for two; suitable for lady alone. References. 943 W. 80TH PLACE. Grand car line.

TO LET—$30 S. FREMONT, ONE 5-ROOM FURnished flat. Price reasonable. Inquire 122 S. FREMONT.

TO LET—SUNNY COTTAGE FLAT, 3 ROOMS, bath, gas, electricity, $15. 1064½ 18TH ST. Phone 64181. West 2, 12TH ST., fronting Sunset Park.

TO LET—ONE 5-ROOM FLAT, CLOSE IN. 1917 ESTRELLA AVE. Home Phone 52187.

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FOR EXCHANGE—REAL BARGAIN—
$40,000 equity in $60,000 city residence, modern 9-room house, and quarter-acre lot; healthy, high grounds, quiet, refined neighborhood; 2 blocks car line; $20,000 mortgage can remain; will exchange for $20,000 clear income-producing property. OWNER, 1239 Bonnie Brae st.

FOR EXCHANGE—$30,000, 14-ROOM, HOLLYwood home, located on the boulevard, in the high, western section of the city; highly developed; 2 acres, including; orchard, smaller home and cottage; income from rentals, $1,200 per year; will exchange for income property. 2000 Hampton Bldg.

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WANTED — MANAGER FOR NEW HIGH-CLASS 50-room apartment-hotel. Must have $4000 to invest with their services, one offer a very attractive proposition. Address MR. BURNS, 701 Wells Fargo Building. A3831.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL OAK AND MAHOGANY furnished apartment-house, 16 rooms, 3 baths, fine location, close in; rental $1800; waiting list. Price $13,000, terms. Address owner, 1067 SAN JACOB KELLER, 347 E. Hellman Bldg. 13426.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—ONE OF THE BEST 10-room modern apartment-houses in Los Angeles, with private baths, steam heat, hot water, all electric extras, unfurnished or furnished; a rare bargain if sold at once. Address owner, P. O. BOX 1, STATION A, Los Angeles.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—GARAGE, NEW BRICK BUILDing, cement floor, etc., clear, $8000, at Riverside, good location for 20 cars. Want Los Angeles or Hollywood property. $500 miles of Hollywood will consider. Address owner, V. J. BOHR, 735 Main st., Riverside, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW BRICK GARAGE ON LOT 50x150, Los Angeles, clear, for income property. Price $12,000; want residence, bungalow or flat. Address owner, 1067 SAN JACOB KELLER, 347 E. Hellman Bldg. 13426.

FOR EXCHANGE—A GOOD CORNER ON WEST 11th st. for 6- and 7-room house, or will trade it for bungalow in Pasadena. Price $19,000; mortgage $10,000, 7 per cent, due May, 1923. Address owner, 7 Pasadena or Los Angeles, KOCHER, 207 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—BY OWNER—
Modern 6-room bungalow, 2 lots, fruit trees, bearing; beautiful home and very cheap; $4,000, $1,000 cash, balance $40 per month. Or will trade for 5- or 6-room bungalow, or other clear property or mortgages to be optioned, and balance back on easy terms. Address
WILL S. PRESTON, 229 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — HOLLYWOOD, 2-STORY, 8 and 10 bedroom, 4 bath, handsomely finished home in south; with all improvements; hot water heat; fine lawn, shrubbery and flowers; choice location; property in choice condition; improved; must be sold at once; will trade for Pasadena or Los Angeles property. Address owner, 1067 SAN JACOB KELLER, 347 E. Hellman Bldg. 13426.

FOR EXCHANGE—2-STORY BUILDING CONTAINing 2 stores, with 4 flats above, on Pasadena ave., 8 flats all furnished, bath, toilet, gas and electric lights in each flat; lot 50x150; price $18,000; 2 stores rented, $1,000; clear; actual cash basis; present income over 10 per cent. Address owner, 1067 SAN JACOB KELLER, 347 E. Hellman Bldg. 13426.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR LOTS, 1 OWE $1750; what have you for $2400 equity? 207 S. HILL, Room 317.

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD RANCH OR CLEAR lots, for new bungalow; if clear will add cash. JOHNSON, 207 S. Hill. Main 3087.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—GLENDALE INTERESTS.
20 or 40 acres, $600 per acre, clear; want San Fernando Valley or $50,000; pay cash difference.
D. D. THELEFAUGH,
Phone, 1261. 626 Van Nuys bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—SUBURBAN RANCH, 6 ACRES highly improved, Foothill Blvd., Altadena, $16,000. West Oakland equity to $12,000. Income cash or clear. Address Box 116, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR CORNER, TWO ACRES, unimproved, close to high and grammar schools. Northwest of Los Angeles and Int. Los Angeles. Ad. owner 151 N. DALY St.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Beach Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM HOUSE, LONG BEACH, 1220 E. 16th st., $1220 incumbrance; what have you for $2000 equity? 207 S. HILL, Room 317.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES IN ORANGE BELT, 7 miles to Riverside, 5 to San Bernardino, 2 to Colton and 2 to Rialto, with sixty shares best and cheapest water. Water alone worth $175 per share. Price $18,000. Will accept in payment 10000, mortgage 6 per cent, due in 3 or 5 years, $2000 cash, and second mortgage for $6000 at 6 per cent, due in 3 years or a good deed modern bungalow of $6000. Conservative valuation. This is a snap. For particulars see W. P. FITZBURN, 813 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phone A3126.

FOR EXCHANGE—480 ACRES NEAR EL TORO; Orange county, fenced and cross-fenced, about 250 acres tillable, balance good pasture, young family orchard, vineyard, house, 5 rooms, artesian porch 20 feet long; outside screen sleeping-room; large row barn with cement floor, horse barn, chicken houses, corrals, granary, practically two new buildings, 1-4 mile apart, $30,000; might $7150; $15000 can be placed at 7 per cent. Owner, West L. A. income property or affairs, phone
CHAS. F. STOKES CO., 616 Grant bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — QUEENS RIVER, 40 ACRES, choice and clear L. A. lot, will take old house with some ground to about $4000; will assume small amount. GLOTT REALTY CO., 404 Grant bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—SAN JOAQUIN ACREAGE AND cash for flat in good location to $10,000; will assume small amount. GLOTT REALTY CO., 404 Grant bldg. F2907.

FOR EXCHANGE—$150 PER ACRE, 80 ACRES best alfalfa, beet, or potato land, Riverside, Madera, West beach, or suburb. 217 PAY BLDG. 62115.

FOR EXCHANGE — I BUY, SELL AND EXchange Alberta farm lands. W. J. WILSON, 2146 Broadway. Hoge Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES, SAN JOAQUIN RIVER Reclamation, near S.P. RANCHER, 510 Cit. Nat. Bank Bldg. 62060.

FOR EXCHANGE — COME WITH ME AND IN-SPECT 160 acres, 7 miles Riverside, $200 each week. 4035 BRIGHTON AVE. River 52608.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—WELL TRADE BEAUTIFUL almost new 6-room bungalow in Hollywood, 2 blocks from Gardner Junction, for lease, with cottage in rear, or vacant lots, or what have you? Will pay and teach purchaser if wishes; this is really a genuine business exchange; have been in it on the wrong selling city to city count; you can't go wrong; have good trade; price $6000; $2000 cash. 207 S. HILL, Room 317. 62060. 4th floor.

FOR EXCHANGE — 160 ACRES NEAR BIG CREEK; 100 acres tillable, balance good pasture, young family orchard, vineyard, house, 5 rooms, artesian porch 20 feet long; outside screen sleeping-room; large row barn with cement floor, horse barn, chicken houses, corrals, granary, practically two new buildings, 1-4 mile apart, $30,000; might $7150; $15000 can be placed at 7 per cent. Owner, West L. A. income property or affairs, phone
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BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds, Unclassified.

FOR SALE—ONLY VARIETY STORE IN THRIVing unsettled community. Stock, estimated $1200, at 75c on dollar; $300 fixtures, $100; or will lease for $1000. Strictly cash only. Previous owner built business from nothing to $100 monthly profit. Present owner, Machinery Building Company, took stock in part payment for house, hence exceptional discount. A real opportunity for MAN or WOMAN; fullest investigation welcomed. Financial aspect with living-room, $20 month. Clean, well-assorted stock, ever dollar's worth saleable; crockery, enamelware, 10c, 15c and 25c articles; confectionery, notions, and select department of shelf goods in groceries. Groceries should be disposed thereof, as more profit and larger demand for men's furnishings. Have standing offer for groceries and buyer need not take them, but either they could be used as basis for big, cut-price sale without loss and thereby make strong advertising and trade-building feature, even though buyer would be glad to get them. See representative on premises, R. H. LYMAN, variety store, Glendora.

DO YOU WISH TO ENGAGE IN A PROFITABLE, lasting established business? This is an exceptional opportunity, and I will not limit on liberal terms, as I mind leave for New York in June. I can arrange to stay with buyer until that time. If you are thinking of buying or exchanging a business in Los Angeles it will be to your advantage to communicate with me, as this will busy strict investigation; no agents will be considered. Only older part interest from reliable gentleman to act in capacity of business manager. Address G, box 206, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MY INTEREST IN ONE OF THE largest and oldest hardware corporations in this city. Big fine store located in very central location. Doing both wholesale and retail business. This stock carries with it a good lucrative position, if desired. Investigation solicited. Private party. W. M. HALL, CROWELL, 424 S. Broadway, Room 312.

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QUICK SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS, $100 TO $1000; lowest rate, no brokerage, title or escrow charges; easily managed; private party. W. HALL, CROWELL, 424 S. Broadway, Room 312.

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RANCH LOANS MY SPECIALTY. CITY LOANS solicited. Have $500 to $20,000 now. CHAPPEL, 611 Lissner Bldg. 14471.

MONEY TO LOAN—AT CURRENT RATES ON city property; no delay. H. W. HELLMAN BROS., 1027 Van Nuys Bldg. F1200—Main 816.

MONEY TO LOAN — FROM $500 TO $40000 on improved property. 4700 HOLLYWOOD BLVD. Call Holly 1288.

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WILL LEND MY OWN FUNDS, 6% AND 7 PER cent, on improved realty. No commission. Address M, box 287, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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FIXTURES TO BE SOLD, 2 P.M. FRIDAY.
Consisting of chair-glass floor and refrigerating showcases, Victor talking machine, typewriters, etc. Write FARM & FOREST CO., Wilmerville, Cal.

MANUFACTURER WILL GUARANTEE $5 PER hour, earning on $2500 and secure with first mortgage $5000 farm. Address O, box 230, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds, Unclassified.

WE HAVE A PAPER ROUTE FOR SALE IN Pasadena, that is clearing about $60 per month; best small routes anywhere. It positively pays over $100 a month clear. Anyone who knows anything about a paper route, will pay $1500 for this one when they see the books. Open for inspection. The owner's ill health is the only reason for selling. RATTRAY, 1009 Title Insurance Bldg.

YOU MAY NOT THINK THAT THE SODA FOUNtains are due for a boom when the saloons close in March, but we know what we are talking about, and the places that we can sell today for $1000 cash will be worth $2000 when the effect is such a price in the next three months. Let us tell you more about them. RATTRAY, 1009 Title Insurance Bldg.

FOR SALE—4-CHAIR BARBER SHOP; 4 BATHS, good lease, laundry agency and best equipped shop in Imperial Valley. Account of other business, per week 10, months rent or rent A modern meter in NEW building, could remodel and equip to suit purchaser. 30, Calexico, Cal.

GARAGE, WITH REPAIR SHOP. STORAGE part overhead expense. Machinery and equipment invoices $2500. Owner has reduced price $1500. $500 cash, balance terms. Call 308 DELTA BLDG., 423 S. SPRING.

WANTED—MAN WHO OWNS AND DRIVES truck, good hauling contract, permanent work and steady income. Address P. O. box 1, Station A, Los Angeles.

WILL S. PRESTON, 229 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

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FOR SALE—$5 STORE, GOOD LOCATION, established 7 years; will sacrifice. Phone SOUTH 1646 or 24504.

RESTAURANT FOR SALE BY OWNER, GOOD place for good restaurant man. Write box 1311, Pioneer.

FOR SALE—$7500, MUST SELL GOOD ICYCLE and tandem motorcycle, will take part amount in lots. 207 S. HILL, Room 317.

FOR SALE—JOB PRINTING BUSINESS ESTABlished 1905, inventory $1500, excellent quick sale on account of health. PHONE 52208.

FOR SALE—ON COMMISSION, LATEST STYLE MAhogany Fumed-oak Victrola; cost $110; will sell for $60 cash. The best offer takes it. PERSIAN DYE WORKS, 38 Pine ave., Long Beach.

FOR SALE—INTEREST IN THRIVING EMPLOYment agency; opportunity for man and wife to become connected with LONG ESTAB-LISHED BUSINESS. ADDRESS G, BOX 250, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — THE ONE BIG CHANCE IN SAN Pedro; lot 50x135, near heart of business district; suitable for store or apartments; will build to suit. Price $650 cash. 217 PAY BLDG. 62115.

FOR SALE—WALK INTO A PROFITABLE PAYing business for a few hundred dollars, terms if desired. The worth of it on investigation. You are interested before you put up a cent. Address LIBERTY BLDG.

FOR SALE—FORD REPAIR SHOP, DOING FAIR business, $500. Reasonable rent; must be sold at once. R. H. HOLDSWORTH, 1010 W. Sixteenth ave.

ATTENTION, RESTAURANT MEN, $650 BUYS restaurant; which cost $1200 to equip, near Seventh and Hill; best bargain Los Angeles. Owner leaving city. 207 S. HILL, Room 317. SPRING, Business Investment Co.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MONTHLY MAGAZINE for sale; excellent, without competition and with unlimited possibilities, can be purchased very reasonably. Real estate considered. JOHN C. AUSTIN, 1006 Chester Place.

COUNTRY WEEKLY FOR SALE AT $4000; OWner will lease at $50 per month, with option to purchase; same interests quitting on purchase; owner has other business. 207 S. HILL, Room 317.

$250 BUYS ½ INTEREST OLD ESTABLISHED business, easily learned. Hustler wanted, good opportunity make big money. Ask us. Room 24, 119½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE—CIGAR STAND IN ONE OF THE largest office buildings in Los Angeles; extensive manufacturer desires to sell; owner has other profitable established business. Particulars 310½ S. SPRING, Business Investment Co.

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE. RESTAURANT NEAR new Post-office, corner of Fifth and Main; what it is doing, reasonable rent. Price only $375. Call 814 W. 9TH ST.

WANTED—PARTY WITH $300 FOR PLANTING potatoes. Have land, water, implements; will express split fifty-fifty. Address O, box 310, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

ATTENTION, RESTAURANT BUYERS, $650 buys restaurant which cost $1200 to equip, near Seventh and Hill; best bargain in city. BUSINESS INVESTMENT CO., 310½ S. Spring.

$4500—Picture theater, guaranteed to net $60 week profit; home bargain.

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FOR SALE—GOODWORKING BUSINESS, ESTABlished 12 years; well located; owner retiring; making decent income; $800. TIMES OFFICE. Branch.

$1000 TAKES FULLY EQUIPPED GARAGE ON Foothill boulevard. Rent $45 month. Call at 518 TITLE INS. BLDG., 9 to 10 any day this week. Phone 57987.

FOR SALE—SHOE SHOP, FULLY EQUIPPED, DOing good business; $250 cash. 1067 SAN JACOB KELLER, 347 E. Hellman Bldg. 13426.

FOR SALE—ALL GOOD FIRST-CLASS THIRD floor block. All 50x5 rooms, corner, 42 choice rooms, nicely furnished. RENT ONLY $75 per month; ground floor stores and large light rooming room. Located near to 6th street, close to 5th car. PRICE $1650. KEYSTONE CO., 610 Grand bldg.

FOR SALE—$5 STORE, GOOD LOCATION, established 7 years; will sacrifice. Phone SOUTH 1646 or 24504.

FOR SALE—ONE-CHAIR BARBER SHOP, FINE location, established 7 years, selling stock; ready to sell at good opportunity for quick sale; owner has other business. Address O, box 314, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—MANUFACTURING business; established 1905; inventory $1500; excellent quick sale on account ill health. PHONE 52208.

FOR SALE—JOB PRINTING BUSINESS ESTABlished 1905, inventory $1500, excellent quick sale on account ill health. PHONE 52208.

BUSINESS CHANCES WANTED—

WANTED — STOCKS OF MERCHANDISE ANY, amount; groceries, dry goods, shoes, clothing and gents' furnishings, hardware, machinery, jewelry, notions, office furniture, highest cash price paid for same. Will advance cash on consignments. Refer you to any bank in Los Angeles. Come and call us. It will be your benefit. All our settlements are strictly confidential. J. SOLOMAN, 142-146 N. Spring st. P4810; Main 3114.

WANTED—BUSINESS INTEREST IN GARAGE, manufacturing or other business. Have capital for 6-room bungalow in Pasadena, $2500, clear, or will invest $1000 to $1500 in paying business, where services of wife can be used. Strictly mechanical lines are required. Address YZ, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, 5 BUILDing lots, 2 stores (rented,) orchards all or part for business. STAGG, rents 5, box 816, Whittier.

WHO COLLECTS FOR YOU? IF I DON'T YOU aren't getting it enough money. Trial convinces. J. V. LAMBERT, 215 Lissner Bldg.

SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—$500 GOOD FURNITURE, 8 room house, piano, 1914 Ford touring, all clear, 12 acres in Riverside, 5 miles out, 40 acres low, furnished; one acre, close in; total incumbrance $2200. Trade any of the above for property in Los Angeles. Will pay cash difference. Have automobile, or what? F. PRITCHETT, 1650 S. Main.

FOR EXCHANGE — SELLER A BRIGHTLY located, in Al condition; 500 P.C. Leslie steel tanks; rods, etc., for pulled cows; pulsh goats, plant, lumber or anything I can use; value of plant $3000. F. A. ELLIOTT, 2063 Denison st., San Pedro, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE NEW 5-CYLINDER CAR to trade for acreage in the foothills; must be on improved road. ADDRESS OWNER, 14 Crescent. Car in first-class shape. Address box 211, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT TYPEWRITER, LATE model, Underwood preferred; give new term, any size, cheap.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD LAND FOR CYNICAL or feature bowling pictures films. Address F, box 37, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—SCHOLARSHIP $175 FOR typewriter. MACKAY BUS. COLLEGE, 2358.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements.

QUICK LOANS—
SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY.
Quick loans, same day of application, $50 to $1000. One to twelve months' time. First or second mortgages. City or country.
No commission. No title fees. Our own money. Taxes, interest and assessments paid.
WATERMAN & CO.,
904 Merchants National Bank Bldg.,
Corner 6th and Spring sts.

CLIENTS' MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE at 6, 7 and 8 per cent, and up.
In sums of $100 to $1,000,000.
Mortgages purchased.
Building loans a specialty.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
Consultation and appraisement free,
210 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring sts.

TO LOAN—$46,000, 7 PER CENT. LOAN, SAN PEDRO, OR WILL LOAN ANY PART OF THIS. BUT IT MUST BE IN SAN PEDRO. THIS IS A DANDY CHANCE TO IMPROVE YOUR VACANT PROPERTY WHERE THE DEMAND IS GREATEST. SEE AT ONCE. MR. DISHION, BOSKETT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. 10175. PHONE 2412.

RESIDENCES, APARTMENTS, FLATS—
IN SUMS 5000 TO $100,000 AND UP.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6 and 7 per cent.
CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE CO.,
420 Washington Bldg. Main 6168.

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$500 to $50,000
PROMPT ACTION.
On first mortgages only, city and country, 6 and 7 per cent.
CONWAY & GLEASNER,
1027 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—
ON IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY.
Or for building on easy terms of repayment.
STATE MUTUAL BLDG. & LOAN ASSOCIATION,
122 S. Spring street.

TO LOAN — $7500, 7 PER CENT., BUILDING LOAN, GARAGE, SOUTH OF NINTH, WEST OF CENTRAL. TRUST DEEDS BRICK, THIS WILL GO QUICK. SEE MR. DUHMAN, WITH BOSKETT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. 10175. PHONE 2412.

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Real Estate and Improvements.

$11,000 REAL MONEY TO LOAN THIS WEEK in amounts of $1000 or over, at 6 to 7 per cent, depending on security offered. Money in 24 hours; very liberal appraisal. Private funds. Owners only. Room 709, HOLLINGSWORTH BUILDING, 9th and Hill. Phone, Home 14289. Holly. 787.

LOW RATE FUNDS FOR CITY AND RANCHES.
C. A. PATTEE & CO.,
1217 Haas Bldg. F6145—Main 6518.

I HAVE UNLIMITED FUNDS IN SUMS $1000 TO $15,000, at 6 to 7 per cent, for city residence, flats, apartments or country improved, first mortgages. Immediate action. G. C. HIGBIE, 711 Hollingsworth Bldg. F2531; Main 4258.

QUICK LOAN SECURED BY FIRST AND SECOND mortgage on real estate; mortgage, trust deeds and contracts bought. CHARLES G. NOURSE, 253 Central Bldg., Main and Main sts. Both phones.

$20,000, LOWEST RATES, SUMS TO SUIT. Residence, business or ranch. Information cheerfully given. Confidential. WM. JOHNSON, 210 Bloch Bldg. 62306, Main 3705.

P. C. COMPANY, REAL ESTATE BUILDING, SAN FRANcisco, loans its own money direct to borrowers, amounts $1000 to $25,000, on residence, vineyards, alfalfa, grain and cattle ranches in San Joaquin Valley.

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$2500 to $50,000 AT ALL TIMES, CITY OR country, including Los Angeles, Glendale and up; no red tape. Money in 24 hours. THE PEOPLE'S CO., room 626, Woolen Mackay Bldg.

QUICK, LIBERAL LOANS WHILE CAR IS IN use. Phone 52208, 207 Title Guarantee Bldg., Fifth and Broadway, 13892.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED SALARIED PEOPLE, confidentially, without indorser or real estate. 419 BYRNE BLDG.

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LOANS ON AUTOMOBILES—
Will loan you or stored; deliveries wanted.
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Diamonds, Jewelry.

MONEY TO LOAN ON DIAMONDS—DIAMONDS, Jewelry, pearls, silverware and other valuable articles. Gold and silver bought and sold. Courtesy, fair treatment, and confidence are our business policies. Private rooms for your convenience. Established 1887. Open evenings. Phone A3792.
HAKEWELL & CO.,
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Fifth and Spring. Phone A3792.

MONEY TO LOAN—
ON DIAMONDS and JEWELRY.
1 to 2 per cent, absolutely no other charges. Discretion, privacy and fair treatment assured. Money paid out instantly. Unredeemed pledges for sale at a sacrifice. Business strictly confidential.
A2102. THIRD, J. WELK. Main 6377.
408 Investment Bldg., Eighth and Broadway.

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Do you need money? I have money to loan on a light car. SOUTH 1130. Park Lench Brown, Hollywood.

DIAMONDS, JEWELRY—
Liberal loans, courteous treatment. W. L. WHEDON, Mgr., 402 Trust & Sav. Bldg. 6 to 6.

DIAMOND LOANS, LOW INTEREST. BANK REFerences. FITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg., 4th and Broadway.

DIAMOND LOANS, 6, 7 AND 8 PER CENT. KUHL, 306-07 Hibbard Bldg., Third and Spring.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED — $12,000; WANT $13,000; WANT $20,000 at 7 per cent. Will pay 1 per cent bonus for entire amount. Also want $2250, $3000, $4500, $6000 and $8000 on high-class improved property. FRANK H. AYRES & CO., 1st floor, L. A. DOLTON, 451 Investment Bldg. 13428.

WANTED — $7500, WEST WASHINGTON Heights, between Washington and 20th ave., on a modern four-flat building of five rooms each. Bank appraisement, $19,500. A great loan, E. L. ALDERMAN, 207 Grant Bldg.

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My 1917 Chandler touring car, like new; has been driven only by myself; owner is compelled to sell on account of better buyer and will sell at a sacrifice. 1917 CHANDLER

THE CITY
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For Mississippi Folk.

Members of the Mississippi State Society will meet tomorrow evening in The Times Assembly Hall.

Picnic Postponed.

The Peabody (Kan.) picnic which was to be held tomorrow at Echo Park, has been postponed until further notice.

Store Closes Tomorrow.

Following its custom, the Ville de Paris will be closed all day tomorrow, Washington's Birthday. It will probably be the only large retail dry goods store to close for the day.

For Hillsdale Alumni.

Hillsdale College graduates and former students will hold their annual winter meeting, Friday evening, in the Young Women's Christian Association Building.

Shaw to Speak.

Former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw will speak on "The True Basis of Prosperity" at a meeting of bankers, this evening, in Hamburger's Auditorium.

To Sell Savings Stamps.

The Neighbors of Woodcraft, the first fraternal benefit order to offer its working organization to the government, has enrolled to sell war savings and thrift stamps. These may be had at the headquarters, 403 Ferguson Building.

To Jovian League.

F. R. Fritsheus, president of the Los Angeles Desk Company, spoke on Alaska, from which territory he returned but recently, at a meeting of the Jovian Electric League at noon yesterday in Hamburger's Cafe.

On Association's Object.

Former Judge Monta J. Moore will speak on the "Aims and Objects, and the Future of the Half Century Association" at a meeting of the organization, this evening, at Normal Hill Center. J. H. Bean, president of the Builders' Association, will also be present and will probably speak.

Des Moines Club Officers.

The Des Moines (Iowa) Club of Los Angeles met at Christopher's last evening and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, William B. Brown; vice-president, Miss Carrie Park; treasurer, E. W. Brooks, and secretary, Mrs. Fletcher Howard. About 150 members were present.

Utah Society Affair.

A patriotic address by Lou Guernsey will feature the meeting of the Utah State Society, which will be held in the Assembly Hall of The Times Building, First and Broadway, next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Readings and musical numbers will contribute toward the making of an entertaining programme.

Thrift Stamp Ball.

A "Thrift Stamp Ball" will be held at Shrine Auditorium, Thursday evening, the 28th inst., at which time all members of the war saving societies in Los Angeles will have an opportunity to compare notes on the best means of boosting the sale of Thrift Stamps. As the music, printing and the use of the auditorium have been donated, no admission will be charged.

Invite the Public.

The public are invited by the manager of the Jewish Orphans' Home to visit this institution, which is located a few blocks east of Huntington Park. Its site occupies ten acres, which is utilized for garden-ing, and provides all products of the soil necessary for the maintenance of this institution. This home last year supported 913 children, an average of seventy-six children per month, at a cost of $218 per capita.

For Lecture Course.

Through a public lecture tonight in Blanchard Hall on "Human Nature in Business," J. S. Knox of Cleveland, O., president of the Knox School of Salesmanship and Business Efficiency, will inaugurate a course of sixteen lectures to be given under the auspices of the University of Southern California. The University of Southern California is making a new departure in conducting this extension course, as hitherto the university has given extension courses only in outlying cities and towns.

STORE TO OPEN WITH NEWEST FOR WOMEN.

Following its usual custom, the firm of Reich & Lievre will shortly reopen their Los Angeles shop for the spring business with a revue of the newest suits, coats and dresses. The display of new goods is to be larger and better than ever before shown by this firm.

Maurice Reich is at present in New York City on his return from France, where he inspected the models of all the world famous artists in women's garments. He has wired that he will have the Los Angeles shipment ready in a few days' time.

ASSESSMENT MAP FOR FIRST STREET PASSED.

The assessment map for the improvement of West First street between Lakeshore and Virgil avenues was approved yesterday by the Board of Public Works. The map was sent to the Council for confirmation. The assessments total $114,192.

SCHOOL CHILDREN IN THRIFT STAMP DRIVE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 20.—The school children of Redlands are doing their bit in the war savings stamps campaign in this city, for they have purchased almost $1000 of stamps and certificates.

The McKinley school is leading here in the patriotic movement and the children of that school have purchased $420.15 of stamps. The work there is well organized. This school also holds $2400 in Liberty Bonds among the students and teachers.

Kingsbury school comes next with $255 realized from the sale of the stamps. The other schools follow with Lowell, $60; Lugonia, $52; Lincoln, $41.50; Franklin, $27, and Crafton, $21.

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For a few cents you can save your hair. In less than ten minutes you can double its beauty. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and charming as a young girl's after applying some Danderine. Also try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excess oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Besides beautifying the hair Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair, and lots of it, surely get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and just try it.

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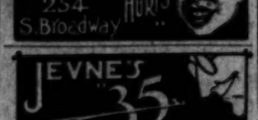

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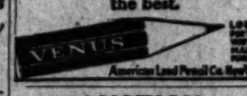

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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued Tuesday. Name and age given:

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BURFORD—WEST. James A. Burford, 29; Carrie West, 28.

BUSHNELL—BRADY. George H. Bushnell, 34; Margarette R. Brady, 19.

CHAMBERS—DOWNES. Jesse Chambers, 56; Grace E. Howard, 39.

FOGEL—GARDNER. Ilse M. Fogel, 23; Sylvia A. Gardner, 27.

HOWMAN—TYLER. Glen T. Hofman, 34; Irma M. Tyler, 34.

KLING—PALMENTIAL. Oscar Kling, 28; Minnie Palmential, 22.

MARIONEAUX—MEADOR. Walter J. Marioneaux, 27; Fay Meador, 25.

MEDRANO—DIAZ. Joaquin R. Medrano, 22; Catalina Diaz, 21.

SCHREIBE—NEWSOME. Harry W. Schreibe, 43; Athene E. Nelson, 28.

SOUTHARD—BUSKEY. Arthur Southard, 32; May Buskey, 28.

TWICHELL—VAN NELSEN. Walter H. Twichell, 30; Rosetta Van Nelsen, 22.

WALG—RAMOS. Edwin J. Walg, 22; Edith M. Ramos, 18.

WALTER—BARTELL. Ralph H. Walter, 29; Lora Bartell, 22.

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BENNON. Mr. and Mrs. Donald. Boy, 4508 Third avenue, February 2.
BRADLEY. Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Daughter, Los Angeles Harbor, February 18.
BRYANT. Mr. and Mrs. William C. Boy, 974 Serrano street, January 22.
COLDER. Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy, Methodist Hospital, February 18.
COGARD. Mr. and Mrs. Carl. Boy, 2017 West Twelfth street, February 17.
CROZIER. Mr. and Mrs. Leon. Boy, 6219 St. Andrews place, February 19.
DICKERSON. Mr. and Mrs. Julius M. Boy, Private Home Hospital, February 17.
DORIS. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick H. Daughter, 139 East Avenue 37, February 17.
ERDOM. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac H. Boy, 5494 Allen street, February 15.
LICHTAIM. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice. Daughter, 1230½ Stanford avenue, February 13.
O'TANNAL. Mr. and Mrs. Alec. Boy, 447 South Glass street, February 17.
PFAUCHT. Mr. and Mrs. John. Daughter, 971 So. Fremont street, February 10.
RIMICK. Mr. and Mrs. Harry. Boy, County Hospital, February 20.
TUSH. Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle C. Boy, California Hospital, February 17.
ULRICH. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie B. Daughter, 01460 South Normandie drive, February 18.
VANDERPOOL. Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Boy, 1946 Echo Park Avenue, February 15.
WHITE. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Daughter, 947 North Larchmont avenue, February 16.
WHITNEY. Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Boy, 152½ Henry street, February 15.
YAGER. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Boy, California Hospital, February 18.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

CARNES. Nina D. against Clara M.
CHRISTOPHSEN. Mabelle H. against Nels H.
DELLA. Victor J. against Ina.
GALLOWAY. Lillian against Gilbert A.
JONES. Florence B. against Phillip L.
MEYERS. Victoria against Camille.
NILSSON. Nils C. against Adeline M.
PINE. Mary L. against Harry B.
REYNOLDS. Harland S. against Florence M.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

COOPER. Harriet J. from Alfred.
DUNKELE. Eva L. from J. C.
GARDINER. Ethel from Wilfred.
GULHART. Maude from William.
HENDERSON. Mark P. from W. J.
HINDE. Mary J. from Elizabeth E.
KIRK. Ethel L. from R. M.
SELBY. Georgia D. from Howard D.
SMITH. Emma C. from Lena M.
STELLE. Adella D. from L. B.
VILLA. Antonia from Antonio.
WAHRMUND. Ka'Chen'ka M. from A. M.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death— Age. Date.

BESAUX, David, Los Angeles ..... 23 Feb. 17
CROVELLI, Frank D., Los Angeles ..... 64 Feb. 18
ERICKSON, Virginia M., Los Angeles ..... 24 Feb. 18
LEMCKE, Augusta A., Los Angeles ..... 68 Feb. 18
ORCHELE, George A., Los Angeles ..... 70 Feb. 18
PEIRCE, Sarah, Los Angeles ..... 62 Feb. 19
VON FRESSER, Alexander ..... 72 Feb. 19
WHEDEN, Agnes A., Los Angeles ..... 72 Feb. 19

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

DARR. At No. 1302 Pueblo avenue, February 19, 1918, Daniel Darr, beloved husband of Jessie Darr, father of Wilson L. Darr of East Orange, N. J.
Funeral services from chapel of Galen, Crane & Hart, No. 1724 Highland avenue, Hollywood, Friday, 2 p.m. Interment, private. Inglewood Park Cemetery. Members and friends Chip, Mink, and Chapin lodges please copy.

DOHERTY. Lydia M. Doherty, aged 75 years.
Funeral at parlors of The White Chemist, No. 1137 South Grand avenue, Interment, Chicago, Ill.

PALUTSCH. Mary Elizabeth Palutsch, aged 50 years.
Remains at chapel of Ivy H. Overholtzer.

GODMAN. The funeral of Mrs. Georgia Godman will be held at the chapel of Brunet Brothers, 1059 South Olive, Friday at 10 o'clock.

KING. February 20, 1918, Martin King, beloved sister of Bertie O. King of No. 626 North Kingsley drive.
Remains at Byrnes Brothers, 653 Figueroa.

KIRBY. At her late residence, Athens-on-the-Hill, February 19, 1918, Mary Kirby, a native of Ayr, Scotland, aged 72 years, beloved mother of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Kirby, loving sister of George and Pauline Kirby.
Funeral Friday, February 22, at 9:30 a.m., from the parlors of Utter & Boone, No. 4324 Atlantic avenue; thence to St. Michael's Church, 1919 West Macy street, where requiem high mass will be celebrated, commencing at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

KREUZER. At No. 624 East Forty-second street, February 20, Mrs. Emily Kreuzer, aged 56 years.
Remains at parlors of W. A. Brown. Notice of funeral later.

LAMAR. At No. 545 Winston street, George Lamar. Remains at chapel of Ivy H. Overholtzer.

LANCON. In this city, Alec Lancon.
Remains at chapel of Ivy H. Overholtzer.

McDOUGAL. February 19, Mary Ann McDougal, mother of Catherine, Anna and Judith McDougal.
Funeral Friday, February 22, from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, No. 1027 South Grand avenue, at 2:30 p.m. Services commence at 3 p.m. Rosedale Cemetery.

MERCADANTE. Nicola Mercadante, aged 60 years and 10 months. Funeral tendered by Mercadante Benefactor, father of Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. Marie F. York, Mrs. A. S. Hicks, Dominic, Michael and Nick A. Mercadante and the late Mrs. A. Mercadante.
Funeral will be held Friday, February 22, at 9 a.m., from his late residence, No. 1227 Raymond; thence to Our Lady of the Lourdes Church, No. 4100 East Third street, at 10 a.m., for services high mass. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

PADDLE. At the family residence, No. 2026 South Westlake avenue, February 19, Edna H. Paddle, wife of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parada and mother of Harry Parada, a native of California, aged 26 years.
Funeral Friday at 2:30 p.m. from the family residence; thence to St. Peter's Church, Watts. Interment, Calvary Cemetery. Godsey & Martinez, directors.

POCKROT. At his late residence, No. 554 Stanford avenue, Maurice, beloved husband of Bessie Pockrot and cousin of John Hunt and Mrs. Marcelline Eymard.
Funeral tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. from the residence; thence to St. Vincent's Catholic Church, Vernon, at 10 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery. Godsey & Martinez, directors.

PRATT. February 19, 1918, Dr. Grafton H. Pratt, aged 65 years, beloved husband of Edith M. Pratt.
Funeral services from chapel of Galen, Crane & Hart, No. 1724 Highland avenue, Hollywood, Thursday, 2 p.m. Interment, Inglewood Cemetery.

PRIVATTE. Walter Franklin Privatte, aged 43 years.
Services will be held at the chapel of W. M. Shrodes, No. 6240 Hollywood boulevard, Friday, February 22, at 2:30 p.m. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

SARAGOSA. February 19, Rhoda Saragosa.
Funeral services Thursday at 10 a.m. from Brothers, directors.

SWARTZ. At No. 1116 South Flower street, February 17, John Swartz.
Remains at the parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 816 South Flower street. Interment, San Gabriel, Wis.

TORBERT. In this city, February 20, Lydia S. Torbert, aged 87 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 816 South Flower street, Friday, February 22, at 2 p.m.

VAN WINKLE. February 20, Mattie Van Winkle. Remains at Byrnes Brothers, 653 Figueroa.

WEST. At Covina, February 19, James West, formerly of Tennessee, father, brother of David West, aged 84 years.
Funeral services at Hollywood Cemetery Chapel, Friday, February 22, at 2 p.m.

LODGE NOTICE.

West Gate Lodge, No. 325, F. & A. M., will confer the second degree this (Thursday) evening, Masonic Temple, Pico and Figueroa streets.
AUGUST WACKENHARTH, Secretary.

THE funeral parlors of W. M. Strother have been moved to his new establishment at No. 6240 Hollywood boulevard, corner of Argyle avenue. Phone Hollywood 1128.

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VENTS IRE ON CHAIR.

Woman Annoyed at Her Husband Smashes Furniture and is Taken to Jail.

When Mary Lind, 34, a janitress, living at No. 1114 South Grand avenue, returned to her home late last evening, after several hours of labor in a downtown office building, she started a small riot that needed the services of the police to quell. Mrs. Lind told Receiving Hospital Surgeon Zorb that she objected to her husband's ways.

Mrs. Lind's ire found vent in the breaking of her apartment furniture. Officer O. H. Box, who responded to the riot call, found Mrs. Lind smashing chairs, breaking chandeliers and wrecking everything in sight, as well as breaking a few heads.

After a struggle, the officer took the woman to the Receiving Hospital for an examination as to her sanity. Police Surgeon Zorb pronounced her sane, and she was taken to the City Jail on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Uncle Titus was Practicing Food Control but Mr. Wad didn't Know it! . *By GALE.*

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LXVIITH YEAR. THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 21, 1918. —PART II: 6 PAGES. POPULATION By the Federal Census (1910)—319,198 By the City Directory (1917)—390,000

Cumulative Evidence.

SEEK TO PROVE LYON DREW GUN ON GIRL BEFORE SHE SHOT HIM.

Police Officers to Testify that They Found His Revolver Beside Body of Slain Senator—Woman's Own Sensational Story Told on the Stand.

DEFENSE counsel in the trial of Marie Pinzon Edwards, accused of the murder of Senator Henry H. Lyon, began yesterday the introduction of cumulative evidence by which they declare they will prove that Lyon drew his own revolver and with it threatened to kill Miss Edwards just before she shot him down. This plea of self-defense will be based upon the girl's story of the shooting, that of the officers who are said to have found Lyon's gun beside his body and of the man to whom the gun was given immediately afterward.

One of the most dramatic moments of Marie Edwards's own testimony yesterday came at the close of her long and sordid story of how she had financed Senator Lyon's political career with her earnings as a street woman. When she approached him on the sidewalk outside his home on the fatal night she declared he drew a gun, pointed it at her and cried:

"I'm going to kill you, you ——!"

Then she shot him.

OFFICER'S TESTIMONY.

Detective Roy L. Shy, placed on the stand in the late afternoon, made positive statement that a dark-colored revolver was given him by Officers Hall and Waples fifteen minutes after the shooting. Attorneys Edwin Morfoot, for the defense, announced to the court that these two officers will be placed on the stand this morning and that their testimony will show that one of them picked up the revolver from near the prostrate body of Lyon within a few minutes after Miss Edwards shot him. The gun, it was asserted, has already been identified by Mrs. Lyon as having been the property of her husband.

MAY END TODAY.

Judge Willis announced at the close of yesterday's session that an effort would be made to place the case in the hands of the jury before adjournment. With this object in view the court instructed the jurors to be in their seats by 9 o'clock this morning, at which time considerable expert testimony is to be introduced regarding the wound inflicted upon Senator Lyon by Miss Edwards, which the defense maintains, is the contributive cause of death.

Witnesses that have been called for today are Dr. Sherwin Reynolds, Dr. Harlan Barnard and Dr. Charles B. [illegible].

WAS A RIOT.

Since the beginning of the trial was on hand and [illegible] members of the Hall of Justice. His purpose [illegible] ping the article in a [illegible] lution which he claims [illegible] lutely harmless and [illegible] that the preserved [illegible] main in perfect condition [illegible] to 150 days. America [illegible] not only for fruits and [illegible] but for eggs and meats [illegible] Samples, which he claims [illegible] preserved for many days [illegible] preservative are now in [illegible] and the whole matter is [illegible] tention in the division [illegible] husbandry of the Department [illegible] riculture, and also in the [illegible] perishable foods of the Food [illegible] tration, where G. Harold [illegible] also a California, who is [illegible] head of this great division, [illegible] the process attentive.

Miss Edwards, accompanied into court by her sister, Mrs. Ida Paden, and a number of women friends, appeared more cheerful and composed than on the previous day, when she collapsed and was placed in the hands of a physician. Despite the severe strain upon her by remaining on the stand the entire morning and a portion of the afternoon, when she was put through a gruelling test by Deputy District Attorney Keyes, Miss Edwards retained her outward calm and presence of mind, and only once or twice did she break into sobs and tears.

Throughout the day's proceedings Mrs. Marie M. Lyon, the widow, remained seated between sympathetic friends, keeping her eyes steadily focused on the defendant and absorbing every line of her testimony. Her eyes were tear-laden most of the time, but withal, she retained her composure.

The courtroom, crowded to the doors with spectators, remained as quiet as a tomb as Miss Edwards told her story. Women predominated in the audience. Many of them cried as the girl picked up the tangled threads of her past and spread them for the world to see. Even under the gruelling cross-examination of the State's attorney, Miss Edwards did not swerve from her ugly narrative.

HER STORY.

Miss Edwards said her right name is Marie Pinzon, and that she is 22 years old. She said she had known Senator Lyon since she was 9 years of age. At that time, she said, he was residing with her family on Merchant street and that her father was a political supporter of Lyon.

In June, 1912, she was married to Elmer McKellup, a city fireman, she testified. Lyon met her on the street shortly afterward, she said, and expressed a wish to meet her husband. She told him her husband worked at night.

"He visited me at my apartment and his visits continued with frequency for the next three months."

"Why did you permit these visits?" she was asked.

"Because I loved him."

"Then what happened?" Attorney Eddie asked her.

"He asked me to enter the 'sporting life.' He said he loved me as a little girl and—"

At this point in the examination Deputy District Attorney Keyes interposed an objection to the line of questioning pursued by the defense attorneys.

"The defendant is being interrogated on matters that happened six years ago and which have no bearing on what happened on October 9, 1917," he said.

The court—"The time of the homicide is too remote from the questions being propounded to the defendant," and sustained the objection.

"How long did you follow the 'sporting life?'" Attorney Eddie resumed.

"What did you do with your earnings?"

"GAVE HIM THE MONEY."

"I turned them over to him every night—sometimes $300 at a time if I failed to see him for several days."

Miss Edwards gave testimony that Lyon came to her apartment almost

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Big Moments in the Testimony of Marie Edwards.

Marie Edwards, sketched on the stand in her own defense.

State Board Acts.

THREE PHYSICIANS LOSE LICENSES TO PRACTICE.

Dr. George B. Rowell is Placed on Year's Probation—Other Cases.

AS AN echo to the exploits of "Weeping-eye" Wilson, found guilty of fraud in the United States District Court recently, the State Board of Medical Examiners yesterday found Dr. George B. Rowell guilty of unprofessional conduct and placed him on a year's probation. Dr. Rowell pleaded guilty with Wilson to defrauding insurance companies through the latter's alleged bad optic. The charge against him before the State board was that he had been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude.

The board has been holding sessions in the Fraternal Brotherhood Hall since Monday, closing last night. During that time cases against four Southern California physicians were heard. In three of these, the doctors were found guilty of unprofessional conduct. In the fourth, against Alvin Shattuck, the case was dismissed. Dr. Shattuck was charged with unprofessional conduct in that he had been convicted of selling drugs to an habitual user. Dr. Shattuck died at the County Hospital recently and the action against him was automatically stopped.

Dr. Thomas F. Glass, with offices in the Mason Building, had his certificate revoked on account of misleading advertising, which, it was charged, he caused to be placed regarding a "cure" for tuberculosis.

Dr. Moses Jacobson was found guilty of placing misleading advertising relative to "cures" for social diseases and his license was revoked.

Several cases against San Francisco men were heard, among these being the revocation of the license of Dr. William F. Card, a San Francisco physician, found guilty of performing an illegal operation.

Dr. Percy P. Phillips presided at the board meeting. Drs. William R. Maloney, Harold B. Pinkham, Ernest Sisson, A. M. Smith, D. L. Tasker, Harry E. Alderson, H. V. Brown and Robert A. Campbell attending.

AN EVEN BREAK.

Coincident with the refusal of Superior Judge Jackson's refusal to grant the city's plea for an injunction against the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, yesterday, the Municipal Light and Power League sent a message to Mayor Woodman and the City Council asking the former to issue a proclamation telling the people to use city juice. Judge Jackson could find no room on his calendar to hear the suit of the city against the corporation until the first week in March and the action accordingly was postponed.

DON'TS FOR YOU.

Breakfast Foods, Macaroni, Crackers, etc., are Wheat, So Eschew Them Wheatless Days.

City Food Administrator Cole yesterday issued a statement urging a more strict observance of the rules governing the sale of wheat products.

"There seems to be some misunderstanding about the sale of breakfast foods, crackers, macaroni, vermicelli and spaghetti on Mondays and Wednesdays," Cole said. "These articles are on the forbidden list for these days, and should not be sold any more than pure wheat flour. Many grocers think that the sale of these articles is optional with them. This is not so. They must not be sold. A great saving in wheat products may be made by the non-use of them, and it is hoped that consumers, as well as retailers, will observe this ruling."

LIKES BEING MARRIED?

Woman Who Wedded Same Man Twice Admits to Three Previous Experiences.

Mrs. Lola Deville married and remarried E. P. Deville, a druggist, and because of this fact she was asked yesterday by Mr. Deville's lawyer:

"How many times have you been married, not counting the two times you married Mr. Deville?"

She said she positively refused to answer the question.

Judge Wood, who was trying Mr. Deville's suit for divorce, a new trial having been granted, ordered the witness to answer.

"Well, three times," she replied.

Mr. Deville admitted to a previous marriage. The court granted Mr. Deville a decree. Attorney Newby, representing Mrs. Deville, stated he would appeal.

WILL BE NO STRIKE.

Southern California Edison Company Employees Decide to Defer Action.

There will be no strike of the employees of the Southern California Edison Company today.

At an executive session of the representatives of the Electrical Workers' Union of Southern California, held last night in Labor Temple, it was decided to defer action pending receipt of an answer to a telegram sent to Secretary of Labor Wilson yesterday, asking for his assistance, and further negotiations by Federal Mediator Capt. Charles T. Connell.

The threatened strike, if carried out, would affect nine cities in Southern California, including Los Angeles, Fresno, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Santa Ana, Long Beach, Pasadena, San Bernardino and Riverside.

San Bernardino's Eighth.

ORANGE SHOW OPENS IN VAST BLAZE OF COLOR.

Spoils of Southland's Fairest Groves Wrought into a Gorgeous Scene. War Theme Dominant.

TEN thousand electric lamps blazed out in golden light; electric current gave impetus to all the machinery and sent the wheels a-turning; whistles blew and there was a salute of eight guns when, at the National Orange Show in San Bernardino last night, President M. C. McKinney, in the climax of his address of welcome pronounced the words: "I now formally declare the eighth annual National Orange Show is open."

At the National Orange Show of last year there were 87,879 paid admissions, and the total attendance was a little more than 100,000. It is confidently expected that the attendance this year will exceed that of last, which was the record year to date.

When Eve, first of all charming women, temptingly held out to Adam the apple from the tree in the midst of the garden, it is no wonder the first man "fell for it," if it was of golden hue like the California orange. When San Bernardino, the Gate City, last night held forth to the view of the Southwest, and all its hosts of tourists, its tempting array gathered for the annual show, there was a display of the golden fruit that might well tempt all mankind.

ORANGE'S APOTHEOSIS.

Los Angeles has reveled in its fiestas de las flores, gorgeous with their wealth of blossoms and American and Spanish colorings; Pasadena has won world fame through its New Year's Tournament of Roses; other California cities have their peculiar feasts and carnivals; but it has remained for San Bernardino to glorify the orange and to build around the citrus fruit industry an exposition that is yearly growing in importance and general interest.

And where could be found a more appropriate setting A background of old mountains gray, now capped with snows, overlooks the valley tinted in the green of emeralds and the elusive coloring of chartreuse. From the heights one looks down upon the picture of grove after grove of citrus trees, stretching on and on and on, until the contour of the hills closes the view; yet they still extend. Trees that are in their full maturity; trees that are just coming into bearing, and trees that but recently have come from the nurseries to take their places in the formal lines of the citrus groves, help to make the pleasing panorama—one of the most enticing pictures in Southern California.

In such a setting as this nestles historic old San Bernardino. It is the central point from which radiates the great citrus industry of Southern California. Fully 60 per cent. of the oranges of the Southland are iced or pre-cooled in San Bernardino, passing through this city from the various districts on their travel to eastern markets.

BEST IS DRAFTED.

The National Orange Show has drafted the best from the groves of the Golden State. It has searched the local districts and then has gone afield and has drawn on other citrus fruit centers for their choicest products. The result has been an ensemble fit to justify the belief that it was a tree of "apples of gold" that found place in the midst of the Garden of Eden—or it might well have been.

From Imperial Valley, below sea level, to the foothills of Tulare county, the growers of citrus fruits have sent their finest products to the great orange show. From the smallest tools to the most complex, the equipment for the citrus fruit

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Medals of Graditude.

FRANCE HONORS TWO LOS ANGELES WOMEN.

WORD was received yesterday by L. N. Brunswig, head of the local French Red Cross, that the "Medaille de la Reconnaissance Nationale Francaise Vermeil" (gold and silver medal of gratitude of the French nation) has been awarded to Mrs. W. A. Edwards, former president of the women's auxiliary of the French Red Cross in this city.

Notification of the award came from French Consul Neltner at San Francisco. Mrs. Edwards now occupies a similar post with the American Red Cross here, having resigned her connection with the French society when this country entered the war. According to Mr. Brunswig, very few medals of this class are issued by the French government.

The bronze medal has been awarded to Mrs. John P. Jones, who was chairman of the first Allied Carnival given here in aid of the Allied cause. Mrs. Jones has presided over many functions for the benefit of the fatherless children of France and has been active in French war relief work.

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Golden.

CITRUS FRUIT GLORIFIED IN SOUTHLAND EXHIBIT.

Hundred Thousand Visitors are Expected; Conservation Methods Shown.

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rancher is displayed in the industrial annex.

And Uncle Sam has given his direct recognition to this show. There is a mammoth tent devoted to conservation—conservation of land and feed and materials, as a part of the nations) campaign.

OPENED BY BANQUET.

The events opened with a banquet at 6 o'clock last evening at the Chocolate Palace. This was attended by officers and members of the Executive Committee, the Mayor of San Bernardino and a body of distinguished guests from other places. A special car of the Pacific Electric brought many of these visitors from Los Angeles as the guests of the Pacific Electric Company. J. R. Gill, former Lieutenant-Governor of Illinois, was in charge of the programme and made the address of welcome.

Among the speakers at the banquet were Mayor J. W. Catick of San Bernardino, Mayor Horace Porter of Riverside, M. C. McKenney, president of the show; Gen. M. H. Sherman of Los Angeles and Harry Chandler of the Los Angeles Times and others.

Mr. Chandler congratulated San Bernardino upon its enterprise in putting on the Eighth National Orange Show in face of the war conditions.

"I congratulate your city, your officials and committeemen upon the magnitude of this wonderful show, prepared and operated in the face of a world war," he said. "If we are to buy Federal bonds and maintain the Red Cross we must keep up our business industries, and the fact that you have been able to open up such a beautiful exposition this evening is only one indication that you in this city are keeping 'business as usual.' I congratulate you heartily."

ESCORTED BY BAND.

A telegram of regret was read from Gov. Stephens, who said he regretted that he could not attend the opening of "an established institution of great value."

The banqueters then formed in line in the street, and with a band for an escort, and flaming torches for illumination, they marched to the great tents of the Orange Show.

Within the walls of this mammoth canvas house there was only the dimmest of light, so that people might find their way about. The programme was given from the big stage in the main pavilion, and was in charge of President McKinney, who delivered the opening address. At the very climax of his speech, as he declared the eighth Orange Show an accomplished fact the whistles of the city sent out their salute, eight guns were fired and the entire place was flooded with the golden light of thousands of electric lamps. The various exhibits that have installed devices that have motion became animated scenes, and the show was on.

PATRIOTIC FEATURES.

A short programme of addresses and music followed, and then the people devoted their attention to the exhibits. The show is notable this year for the patriotic features. On every side there is something to impress this upon the visitor. The martial spirit is shown forth by an armored car, a battleship, an armored automobile, airplanes, a submarine and a submarine chaser, lighthouse towers under guard, Red Cross insignia—and everywhere the American colors.

The Pasadena Board of Trade presents the Tournament of Roses in miniature. This is the clever work of Langley J. Goodman. The exhibit is placed beneath a white pergola, whose columns are twined with blooming wistaria and whose beams are laden with baskets of oranges. Against a background of canvas representing the Sierra Madre Mountains, there is an array of the choicest floats, all flower-bedecked and within which ride forty-two dolls, costumed in the latest edicts of Dame Fashion. These floats move in a constant parade—sixteen of 'em—and they are miniature reproductions of the floats of the tournaments of 1917 and 1918.

A SHIELD OF FRUITS.

Highland presents a mammoth shield of red and white and blue, cleverly done in citrus fruits and their wrappings. The word "Highland" is worked out in orange, with a background of the dark-green foliage of citrus trees. As a frame for this design there are tempting arrays of oranges and lemons and grapefruit.

Imperial county's exhibit is confined entirely to grapefruit from the ranches of F. W. Waite, Horticultural Commissioner for that county; W. H. Brooks, D. G. Whiting and others. The fruit commands especial attention for its size and uniform coloring and the fineness and smoothness of the skin.

Redlands is represented by an armored car, the body of dark green foliage and the lines marked with the vivid coloring of oranges. This is the exhibit of the Redlands Chamber of Commerce.

Rialto has a charming pergola of eucalyptus and before it a lake inclosed with a fence of eucalyptus. Within the pergola and around the lake are stands of choicest citrus fruits. There are Valencias, seedlings, blood oranges, lemon pomelos and Mediterranean sweets.

THE "EARLY" ORANGES.

Lindsay, Tulare county, blazons forth its motto: "Home of the Early Orange." Its exhibit is one of the most extensive in the show. The yellow of the orange is bedded in red-fringed paper, and the lemons and grapefruit are set in silver lace and white wrappings, while red stars are placed in the centers of each stand of fruit. This exhibit comprises 232 boxes of fruit, or approximately 20,000 pieces of citrus fruits.

Carpinteria, which has a place of honor next the main entrance, has been an exhibitor every year since the Orange Show was instituted. It has used the American colors most effectively to augment the beauties of its wealth of oranges and grapefruit.

One of the most interesting exhibits is that of the California Colton Cement Company—yes, this company is also in the orange business. It will be remembered that some time ago there was much controversy between the company and orange growers as to the extent their groves were damaged by cement dust. The result was that the company bought up 150 acres of orange groves adjacent to its plant and now operates these groves. The fruit is grown in these groves, and it is well worth seeing.

The Riverside county exhibit blazons forth to all that "Riverside has nearly 1000 boys in the United States service;" that "The United States government aviation school is located in Riverside county," and that "Riverside is the home of the naval orange." To back this claim it has an extensive exhibit of beautiful golden fruit.

A BIG BATTLESHIP.

There is also an exhibit of the Riverside county fair, a miniature reproduction of the fair grounds, race track, pavilions and all.

The city of Riverside presents the battleship California, resting on ocean waves. The ship rocks with the waves, the pennants fly in the wind and the place is full of action. At the corner of the exhibit are portraits of George Washington.

The San Bernardino municipal water department has the center of the main tent. It has created an artistic fountain and above this whirl in circular motion four airplanes, peopled with airmen. It is one of the attractions that always has a group of people about it.

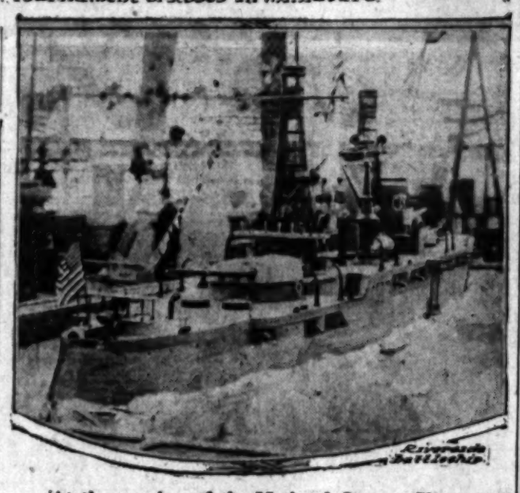
The Pacific Electric announces that "The Pacific Electric serves Uncle Sam as well as Southern California." It has a large armored electric car and the gun in the center booms every three minutes, while soldiers march on guard. A mammoth artificial orange rests on a base of real ones and astride it perches the American eagle. The service flag announces 216 Pacific Electric men in service under the American flag.

LIKE REAL WAR TANK.

San Bernardino county has a huge war tank that is a reproduction of one of these most useful war machines. The great belt revolves and there are numerous patriotic features combined with the oranges.

Fontana has a flag design in citrus fruits. The American flag has the center position and on the sides are the flags of the French and the English. This is the work of James McGregor.

Pasadena Tournament of Roses in miniature.



At the opening of the National Orange Show

At San Bernardino yesterday. In the group at the top, left to right, are, front row, Mrs. Clarence May, Riverside, as Japan; Miss Helen Reeves, San Bernardino, Scotland; Miss Nadie Watson, San Bernardino, France; Miss Sylvia Allen, Redlands, Greece; Mrs. Edward Toeppler, Highland, Italy; Mrs. Denair Butler, Colton, Cuba; Miss Daisy Johnson, San Bernardino, China; back row, Miss Jess Fallis, Ontario, Serbia; Miss Daphne Tuttle, Upland, Panama; Mrs. Ramsdell Lasher, San Bernardino, San Marino; Mrs. J. Walter Roberts, San Bernardino, Belgium; Miss Topham, Lindsay, Armenia; Mrs. Ray Rennahan, San Bernardino, Rumania.

Etiwanda comes to her place in the orange show with the proud record of having won the sweepstakes for oranges and lemons in the 1914 and the 1917 orange shows. Its exhibit this year has as its centerpiece two red crosses and these are flanked by the American flag and the service flag, showing sixteen stars. The exhibit is the work of Capt. J. H. Scott and is one of the most artistic in the group of notable displays, while the Etiwanda citrus fruit attracts wide admiration.

Orange county has an extensive array of oranges and grapefruit and there is also a special exhibit that calls to public attention the Orange county harbor at Newport. The harbor and jetties are reproduced and in the ocean waves are a submarine and, moving rapidly after it, a submarine chaser propelled by electric current. Rising from the center of the water is a lighthouse with a revolving light, showing red and green and white. This is the work of A. S. Bradford, president of the Placentia National Bank.

BY-PRODUCTS SECTION.

The by-products section is one of the big features of the show. This is in charge of Mrs. Reeta V. Hadden, the only woman member of the orange show's Executive Committee. Here are shown orange bread, lemon cake, marmalades, preserves, etc. There is also an exhibit from Florida here, placed by Mrs. George N. Haven. The central portion of this section is occupied by Roy H. Bradley's exhibit of San Bernardino-made citrus candies and a centerpiece of Old Grayback and Mt. San Bernardino, all formed with colored sugars, and a miniature orange grove in the foreground, made of candy.

The Anheuser-Busch Company has a lighthouse presenting Bevo. The tower has a background of desert holly and the columns and moldings are outlined in oranges. The windows or portholes are made of huge grape fruit and the foundation is granite rock and sand. The lighthouse sends forth a revolving light in red and green and white. This striking exhibit is the work of Langley J. Goodman.

The Randolph Marketing Company has a huge map of the United States and Canada with the cities in which it operates marked with tiny electric lamp posts. The lights change in color, white and red.

The Automobile Club of Southern California and the Red Cross each have attractive displays and information booths, and there are various other exhibits that have their special admirers.

INDUSTRIAL DISPLAY.

In the industrial section there is a perfect maze of machinery and implements, and about half of this section is given over to automobiles and accessories.

Back of this comes the government conservation tent. The forestry department has a large exhibit, showing methods of prevention of fires, conservation of timber and water, etc. R. H. Charlton, district forester, is in charge. The county farm bureau has an instructive exhibit, and the San Bernardino schools show their war conservation work. This tent is fitted up for daily lectures and demonstrations on food conservation and kindred themes and an attractive programme has been prepared.

Opposite the big show is a full block devoted to the Orange Show Midway. It includes the best attractions in carnival work.

Among visitors last evening were Gen. M. H. Sherman, Edward Roberts, J. B. Van Nuys, Edward C. Thomas, E. W. Clapp, J. McMillan, Fred Annable, O. A. Smith, R. E. Kelly, F. C. Weeks, T. J. Day, H. B. Terrel of Austin, Tex., State Comptroller of Texas, and many others.

The programme today includes:

9 a.m.—Opening of exposition.

10 a.m.—Judging of displays begins.

10:30 a.m.—Arrival of special trains from Claremont and Pomona. Opening of Midway.

11 a.m.—Special food demonstrations, government tent.

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Louis-Brierley Wedding.

Miss Marguerite Louis and Ralph Brierley were married Tuesday evening at the Episcopal Church, Altura and Sichel streets, in the presence of a large number of friends. Following the event, supper was served at the home of the bride's parents.

Wedding Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. David Purcell announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Helen, to William Gordon Gilbert. The ceremony took place on February 11. After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert will return to Los Angeles to make their home.

Marriage Announced at Tea.

By way of an elaborate tea and miscellaneous shower, given yesterday by Miss Pauline Long of No. 1442 Second avenue, news of the marriage of Miss Julia Solomon and Hobart Huene, in the service at Camp Kearny, was made known to friends. The wedding took place in Santa Ana, Sunday. It is interesting to know that the only friends to accompany them, were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell, who also eloped three weeks ago.

Pouring tea at yesterday's event was another attractive bride, Mrs. William Emmerson Payne of New York, whose husband is an army officer now fighting in the trenches of France. Miss Sara Dunham is making her plans for a beautiful tea and linen shower for Mrs. Huene tomorrow afternoon.

By Mrs. Hogan.

Mrs. Garrett L. Hogan, will assemble a congenial group of friends today at a luncheon of exquisite appointments with which she will honor Mrs. H. J. Porter, house guest and cousin of Mrs. O. H. Churchill. Covers will mark places for Mmes. O. H. Churchill, Shelly Tolhurst, John Atkinson, William K. Thompson, Vernon Goodwin, Miss L. White, Mrs. Porter and the hostess.

Washington Dinner Dance.

Washington's birthday will be celebrated at the Los Angeles Athletic Club tomorrow evening with an informal dinner and dance lasting from 6:30 o'clock until midnight. The spirit of patriotism will dominate tone and color extending even to the feast. The "floating floor" in the main dining-room will be the scene of the gay party at which a number of guests from the Pasadena and local hotels are expected.

By Mrs. Brant.

Including as honor guests Mrs. George Stegmaier and Mrs. Chris Stegmaier, both of whom have been the inspiration of much entertainment ever since their arrival here from Pennsylvania, Mrs. Alfred Brant of Owensmouth will entertain at luncheon today.

For Madame Chenu.

Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr., will be hostess at a large reception Sunday afternoon with Madame Marguerite Chenu, a grande dame of Paris as guest of honor. Madame Chenu, who is giving a series of conferences on the romance of Napoleon and Mary Louise will speak at Mrs. Clark's on "An Imperial Honeymoon."

Tea Dansant.

With numerous smart tea parties being arranged the tea dansant to be given Saturday afternoon by members of the Bird Cage Shop Committee, at Hotel Alexandria, promises to be a notable event. It will begin at 4 o'clock and last until 7 o'clock.

A bevy of society buds will assist Mrs. A. L. Cheney, who will have charge of the flower stall, from which nosegays of red, white and blue flowers will be sold.

Members of the committee giving the affair are Mrs. Ralph Williams, Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr., Mrs. Michael Connell, Mrs. E. A. Bryant, Mrs. John C. Black, Mrs. Secondo Guasti, Mrs. Eugene McLaughlin, Mrs. Earl Mueller, Mrs. Dan Murphy, Mrs. R. I. Rogers, Mrs. Samuel Storrow, Mrs. Russell McD. Taylor, Miss Sue Sinnott and Miss Gertrude King.

Dinner Dance.

Mrs. H. C. Fertig will entertain this evening at the Hotel Ingraham with a dinner dance at which 200 guests will be present. She will use jonquils, narcissus, marigolds and asparagus plumosus as decorations in the ballroom and dining-room and lounge.

Among those who are to have parties for dinner are Miss B. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Coate, James Gansel, E. A. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Craig, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Phillips, Mrs. C. G. Post, Mrs. P. Hohn and Mrs. T. Reinecke, Capt. and Mrs. L. Newcomb and numerous others.

By Mrs. Cheney.

Mrs. A. L. Cheney of No. 15 Berkeley Square used a lovely arrangement of spring blossoms to center her table at a dinner party Tuesday evening. Covers marked places for six. Following dinner she rounded out the evening's pleasure by taking her company to the theater.

Personals.

Dr. Frederick B. West of No. 2513 Grand avenue left yesterday for Fort Riley, where he will enter the Medical Reserve Training Corps with the commission of lieutenant. In this training school there are 5000 officers.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Fairbanks are leaving the first of March for Washington, where Mr. Fairbanks goes on business for the government. Later he and Mrs. Fairbanks will go on to New York.

Mrs. John Daniel Sterner is here from Ohio and has taken apartments at the Wilshire apartments.

Mrs. William Emmerson Payne of New York City, whose husband, an army officer, is "over there," arrived in the city the first of the week to be a house guest of her sister, Mrs. Carl Crandall of Hollywood.

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Congress of Mothers.

The First District California Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Association will hold a business meeting this morning at 10 in the County Board of Education rooms, when plans for the district meeting in the last week of April will be considered. These will include a report of the committee on revision of the constitution and by-laws, which consists of Mrs. P. S. McNutt, Mrs. A. L. Hamilton and Mrs. C. L. Soyster.

The Congress of Mothers was twenty-one years old on the 17th inst., and the various branches of the organization have been duly celebrating the occasion. Mrs. W. A. Galentine, district president, gave programmes at numerous schools in outlying districts.

Civic Outlook Club.

The Civic Outlook Club of Redondo Beach, founded in 1912, has had but one president for the past six years, Mrs. W. A. Galentine. She had become accepted as a life encumbent of the office, hence her announcement that she will not permit herself to be nominated for re-election has created quite a flutter of excitement in the club. The election meeting takes place tomorrow, and the nomination of a new president still hangs in the balance. But a club that has enjoyed such unanimous harmony for so long is not likely to wax politically competitive now and whoever the lady is, the next president is sure to receive general indorsement.

After the election, Mrs. C. W. Alverson will make an address on "Our Flag." At the last meeting of the club it was decided to establish a scholarship fund to assist pupils in the public schools, and to provide prizes for the best essays on "Patriotism."

Joint Meeting.

There will be a joint meeting of the Laurel Canyon Woman's Club and the Woman's Citizenship Club of Hollywood this morning at 10 at the home of Mrs. W. H. Davies, No. 1411 Crescent Heights boulevard. The Laurel Canyon Club will be hosts of the occasion. Mrs. Willoughby Rodman will speak on "Belgian Echoes." Members may bring friends interested in public affairs.

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THE PLAYS AND PICTURES OF A LIVELY WEEK.

Majestic.

There will be but five more performances of John Cort's comedy, "Johnny Get Your Gun," at the Majestic. A holiday matinee on Friday afternoon will be featured, and on Saturday night the company will give its last performance before going to the Columbia Theater in San Francisco. "Johnny Get Your Gun" has played three weeks at the Majestic and undoubtedly could play three more, but the San Francisco dates could not be arranged to permit the company to remain here longer, so this week will terminate the engagement.

Morosco.

"Seven Chances," at the Morosco, continues to play to capacity houses in this, the second week of its run there. The original New York production of "Seven Chances" enjoyed an entire year of metropolitan patronage, and the production at the Morosco of this famous comedy has met with instant success. In fact, "Seven Chances" is regarded as one of the best and fastest comedies that the Morosco has offered for some time. Incidentally the presentation of "Seven Chances" at the Morosco is the first time the play has ever been seen here.

Mason.

Most fitly named is the New York Winter Garden spectacle, the "Show of Wonders," if we are to judge by the advance reports that have preceded it from other cities. The Messrs. Shubert, its producers, realised that in giving it this extravagant title, they were bound to make it of even more than the colossal Winter Garden magnitude. This they succeeded in doing, making it the supreme effort of Winter Garden productions, until the finished product was really a "wonder show" in every respect. In this cast are many favorites of lighter entertainment. There is also a company of 150 clever people and fifteen huge scenes, including the sensational thriller, "Over the Top." The "Show of Wonders" comes to the Mason next week, seats today.

Orpheum.

Four Marx Brothers, a quartette of the cleverest men in vaudeville, and the most versatile, with their large company, will head the Orpheum bill opening next Monday, and presenting here their new musical comedy in miniature, "Home Again." Toots Paka, the last exponent of real Hawaiianism, will also be a feature next week, with her band of native singers and instrumentalists, while her hula will be exploited as a replica of the real dance at Waikaikai. In Adelaide Boothby, the stage has a clever woman singer and travesty artiste, with Charles Everdean at the piano to assist. Bernie and Baker are ragtime syncopationists. Selma Braats has invaded a hitherto sacred field of man with her juggling. The bill will also contain Comfort and King, Grace Austin Moore and Cordelia Hsager, and Alan Brooks in "Dollars and Sense."

Pantages.

Wilson's Lions in their battles with their daring tamer continue to thrill the audiences at Pantages this week, where the kings of the forest, direct from their native lair, are to be seen in all their natural ferocity. The lions are far from being "tame cats," and, even though high iron bars separate them from the audience, you can see the more cautious spectators locating the nearest exit from the first growl on. Marjorie Lake and company have a miniature musical comedy, "College Days." Harry Rose, eccentric comedian, pleases with his pert patter and imitations, and the other acts on the bill are amusing and interesting.

The exceptionally strong array of vaudeville talent gracing the Burbank boards this week has been a delight to patrons of the popular playhouse, resulting in banner crowds. Classy Musical Review heads the bill. Other good acts on the bill are the Rayonnds, in a big scenic novelty; Al Hubbel, singing the very latest songs from New York; O'Dare and his Pals, all well behaved and well trained; Ellis and Ellsworth, in musical nonsense; and Hawthorne and Ross, in a novel European turn.

Little Theater.

So great has been the demand for another Saturday afternoon matinee performance of "Wan o' the Wood," the fairy fantasy of childhood, at the Little Theater, that Frank Egan has conceded to public demand, and the clever extravaganza, presented by clever kiddies, will be given once more, day after tomorrow. Egan looks upon the success that has attended the "Wan o' the Wood" matinees as a sure indication that Los Angeles is ripe for a children's theater movement, and he considers these performances as the first stepping stones to it.

"Mission Play."

Planning to enjoy a good outing and take in a play at the same time, hundreds of motor parties and picnickers will motor out to San Gabriel tomorrow, eat their lunch in the free parking and picnicking space in the shadow of the old San Gabriel Mission, and visit the "Mission Play" between 2:15 and 5 o'clock—according to the man in the box office. The automobile roads leading to San Gabriel are perfect from all directions, the theater is heated and rainproof, and the "Mission Play" itself is more tuneful and enjoyable than ever this season.

Hippodrome.

An interesting sketch, well played, properly presented and having as a climax a snappy three-round boxing bout, is the act that will be featured at the Hippodrome next week. This week, the artistic novelty offering, "A Night with the Poets," is making vaudeville patrons sit up and take notice. The sketch that will invite your attention next week is called "Hogan's Chance," and besides having a surprise twist, has a well-formed plot. Nick Santoro and company are presenting it. There are many other good things on this week's bill.

Kinema.

William S. Hart—"Wolves of the Rail"—Kinema. Thrillier thrills than in any Hart thrilling thriller to date. Aside from leaping from a madly galloping bronco through midair into the cab of a runaway locomotive, holding up a "limited," whipping a band of cut-throat greasers single-handed and killing their leader with his bare hands (disdaining in this latter case to use a gun,) Bill has very little to occupy his attention in this film. That is, until his mother dies and at her deathbed he promises to reform. Then, too, there is a girl. All in all, admirers of Mr. Hart will find him at his best in "Wolves of the Rail." Next week there comes to the Kinema, direct from a long run in New York City, a photodramatization of Hall Caine's powerful novel, "The Manxman."

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But Her Name is Flare-up Sal.

Her other name is Dorothy Dalton.

And she appears next Monday at Grauman's in a brand-new play, so look out for her.

Grauman's.

Douglas Fairbanks and his latest screen production, "Headin' South," form a winning combination at Grauman's this week in a seven days' run, including next Sunday. Fairbanks always keeps his audiences in exuberant mood, and never has he given more of his remarkable energy to a film than in this stirring story of the Mexican border, where he outshoots, outrides and outgames the wildest spirits of a bandit-infested region. A cast of unusual excellence and remarkable photography have aided in producing a notable photoplay, worthy of ranking with the other great efforts of this star. Spanish melodies by the Grauman Symphony Orchestra, and by Jesse Crawford at the organ will be musical features of the week. Beginning Monday, February 25, Dorothy Dalton will appear in "Flare-up Sal."

Tally's Broadway.

In "The Marionettes" at Tally's Broadway this week Clara Kimball Young has a role that gives free rein to her whimsical humor as well as the emotional portrayals that have made her famous. It is one of the most interesting roles that Miss Young has created and is a worthy successor to her long series of successes. Beginning Monday, and for one week, Mr. Tally announces as his attraction "The Sign Invisible," in which big Mitchell Lewis is featured. Edgar Lewis, the director who produced "The Barrier" and "The Bar Sinister," is also responsible for "The Sign Invisible." Mr. Tally declares it to be the greatest feature yet purchased by the First National Exhibitors' Circuit.

Quinn's Rialto.

Grace Marbury Sanderson's remarkable story of the fall of San Francisco's Barbary Coast and the fight of the Rev. Paul Smith in the northern city, as visualized in "The Finger of Justice," at Quinn's Rialto this week, has been the biggest kind of a sensation in Los Angeles, and, despite the rainy weather, record attendance has been the rule at that house. The thrilling and interesting dramatization of the happenings in the underworld dens and the pitfalls to which young boys and girls are constantly exposed is most graphically portrayed in "The Finger of Justice." Only a few more days are left in which to view the picture.

Clune's Broadway.

An alluring title, a fair and popular young star and an excellent supporting cast make "Love Letters," now playing at Clune's Broadway, a photodrama of unusual entertainment values. While the plot deals with metropolitan society and is entirely different in content to "The Flame of the Yukon," Miss Dalton's great previous success, the star displays in "Love Letters" the same sense of dramatic values which made such a hit of her former triumph. Sessue Hayakawa, in "Hidden Pearls," will be the Clune Broadway attraction for next week, beginning Sunday afternoon.

Alhambra.

Gladys Brockwell, William Fox's brilliant emotional actress, is to be starred at the Auhambra, beginning next Sunday, in E. Lloyd Sheldon's powerful story of international intrigue and romance entitled "The Moral Law." This excellent photoplay, which is said to build up to a striking dramatic climax, was made into a scenario by the well-known playwright, Charles Kenyon, and promises to be one of the most exciting picture the well-known player has ever appeared in. The other feature on the new bill is entitled "Are Married Policemen Safe?"—a rip-roaring, exciting and unusual Henry Lehrman comedy.

Clune's Auditorium.

"Cleopatra" still vamps her way serenely at Clune's Auditorium. Theda Bara's appearance in person last night added considerable more enthusiasm than was evident the first part of the week, but, all in all, the fourth week has been remarkably well attended. The scarcity of clothes seems to bother Cleopatra not at all during the cold weather; in fact, her summery attire acts as a reminder of the good old days to come, at a time when every one has begun to feel that there is no such thing as summer. The big Williams Fox-Theda Bara production will be given its last and farewell exhibition next week, a new production of a sensational nature having been booked at Clune's for the week after next.

Miller's.

Crowded houses have been the invariable thing at all the performances of "Du Barry," the William Fox production which is to run only this week at Miller's, and every person who has seen it pronounces it another Theda Bara triumph. This was to be expected, for certainly nothing like this play has been presented upon the screen before, and all who have appreciated its brilliancy and the wonderful work of Miss Bara have been eager to see it. The play will live long in the memories of those who have been fortunate enough to view it. Beginning next Sunday, Miller's announces Frank Keenan in his first Pathe play, "Loaded Dice."

Garrick.

Only three more days remain to see Dorothy Phillips, who for the past ten days has been reigning supreme at the Garrick as "Queen of Little Hell," in "The Grand Passion." No sovereign ever had more contented subjects than those who are crowding the house every performance in an effort to see her in this masterful drama of love and rapid-fire action. According to Chris Glimm, manager of the house, Miss Phillips will abdicate at the end of this week in favor of "Doug" Fairbanks, king of the fun world, who will appear in his big laugh production "Flirting with Fate!"

Palace.

"The Great White Trail," in which the popular film star Doris Kenyon is featured, is the headline attraction on a quadruple bill at the Palace this week, and those who think at Hooverizing as getting full value for their money are being well pleased by the excellent programme. "Bill" Hart in "Hoofs and Horns," and the first pictures of "Doug" Fairbanks's Red Cross Rodeo, together with "In the Dark," a sparkling Christie comedy, go to make up an attractive offering.

Superba.

At the Superba, Herbert Rawlinson is meeting with great success in his latest role, that of "the crookedest man in the world," in "The Flash of Fate." This drama of the underworld, in which the wicked but beloved city of New York is pictured with all its glitter and brightness, is a fitting sequel to "Come Through," in which the same star was so heartily greeted by the motion-picture fans.

Chernlavsky Programme.

Out of their varied repertoire, which includes over 200 solos and trios, the Chernlavsky boys have arranged a particularly interesting programme for their recital at Trinity Auditorium next Saturday afternoon. The programme will be opened by the Arensky Trio for piano, 'cello and violin, followed by Cui's "Cantabile," Popper's "Vito," and Davidoff's "At the Fountain," violincello solos by Mischel Chernlavsky. Jan, the pianist, will play a group of Chopin, including the lovely "Nocturne in C Sharp," "Valse in A Flat" and "Polanaise in A Flat." The violinist, Leo, has chosen the Vieuxtemps "Concerto," which is one of the finest interpretations he gives. The programme will be closed by two Russian numbers—Rimsky-Korsakow's "Romance Oriental" and Boldeftre's "At the Stream," which have been arranged as trios by the Chernlavkys.

MEXICAN HELD AS A COUNTERFEITER.

Special Agent Hazen of the United States Treasury Department swore out a warrant yesterday, charging Louis Silvas, a young Mexican, with engaging in counterfeiting. In default of $1000 bail, he was committed to the County Jail by United States Commissioner Hammack.

The specialty of the young man, Federal Agent Hazen says, was raising $1 bills to $5. Mr. Hazen says further that he was capable of doing dangerous work.

WHISPERS. by the Village Post.

Our poor Betty! What an ingenue she is! Do the best she can and she's bound to get into trouble. The last time it was because she was all too subtle, and in her own defense, she says justly, she isn't obliged to furnish both the ideas and the means of appreciating them.

Being an eager young debutante, Betty went down to Coronado to attend the ball given by Mary Pickford's particular company of soldiers. Naturally Mary was the belle of the occasion, and a mighty lovely little belle at that.

Then a bright thought struck Betty. She would write a letter about it, sprinkling a very subtle compliment for Mary and send it to The Times. She did so. And all Mary's friends have been writing Betty letters ever since. The letter which caused Mary's friends such sorrow recited the grandeur of the event, described all the sumptuousness of the occasion, and said incidentally that Edna Purviance was the belle of the ball. That was where poor Betty's pen slipped, of course. Then at the end of the letter she said: "Mary Pickford was also in attendance."

Now Betty wants to explain. "Yes, but don't you see I paid lovely Mary Pickford a very subtle compliment? Saying 'Mary Pickford was also present' was a very clever joke, I think. It was just the same as describing the coronation of the King, and saying, at the very end, 'And the King was also present!'"

If ever there are Knights of Lythias paradeless days, what will the film wooklies do?

Somehow it's always a surprise to folks to find a motion picture actress can talk. Miss Bara proved it at Clune's Auditorium last night. Also that she owns some clothes.

Messrs. Kessel and Bauman: (just arrived from New York:) The war has done one thing for easterners.

Sid Grauman: How so?

K. and B.: It has again made the weather an exciting topic of conversation.

Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., was gazing abstractedly at his dad's celluloid double at Sid Grauman's Theater, yesterday.

"Are you, too, going to be an actor, little man?" asked a friend of the family.

"Nope," responded Doug. Jr.

"No? Too exciting?"

"Too exciting, huh! No pep at all! I'm going to be a bandit, I am!"

To be able to afford the luxury of owning part of a gold mine is one of the joys in the life of Charles Clary, who is doing fine work as Louis XV with Theda Bara in "Du Barry" at Miller's this week.

Not only has Clary refused to sell his mine, though he was offered $10,000 for his share a few days ago, but yesterday he even went so far as to invest in a motor truck on which to haul lumber to his claim, from which he confidently expects soon to haul an equal weight of gold.

GENERAL ELECTION.

Wet and Dry Forces will Stage Big Battle for Control of Venice Municipal Offices.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Feb. 20.—With the passing of its first reading today the ordinance calling for a general election in this city on April 4 set the ball rolling for what is expected to be one of the most bitter campaigns of Venice's strenuous political history. With much of the bad feeling remaining from the recall election of November 27 still in the air, the injection of the dry issue into the coming fight is expected to add fuel to the flame of contention.

Another ordinance that passed its first reading today was one that puts on the ballot the proposition to pay the Trustees a salary of $75 a month, instead of the $5 a week that is their present princely stipend.

A determined effort is being made by the liquor forces to keep Venice in the wet column, as Venice, Vernon and Watts are now the only cases in a dry Southern California. On the other hand, the dry element is enlisting the aid of those who recently put Santa Monica in the dry column and the outcome of the struggle is held by even the best informed to be in doubt.

The election calls for the selection of four members of the Board of Trustees and a City Clerk. Trustee E. A. Gerety is the only hold-over, with two years more to serve. Trustees William G. Luiz, Albert F. MacDonald and Edward S. Hill, together with Mayor Rutherford B. Harris, are up for re-election.

Mayor Harris was appointed to the board just before the recall election as the choice of a mass meeting.

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JOBS FOR THE IDLE.

Labor and industry have been forced from their beaten paths by the pressure of war; there has been a shifting of economic values and demands, with the result that, while there is an unprecedented call for labor in certain industrial lines, activity has almost ceased in others. By reason of this confusion thousands of men are idle while industries in which they might be employed are suffering for want of labor. Governmental agencies established for the purpose of stabilising employment often prove more of a hindrance than an assistance.

Many of the large automobile factories are running under low pressure by reason of war conditions, and thousands of men have thus been thrown out of employment. Government operation of the railroads has caused a disorganization of the freight and passenger services maintained by the companies, and thus other thousands of men have been cut out. Government regulators have worked so assiduously that they have forced many industries to form monopolies for their own protection; the big corporations have been strengthened while the little ones and the independent operators have been forced to the wall.

More than half a million men have lost jobs by reason of governmental regulation of industry. The greater number of these are still idle, with scant prospect of profitable employment. Many of those affected have not the initiative to make a new start in some industry where their units of man power could be profitably employed. In short, the present industrial revolution has forced tens of thousands out of work and a great wastage of man power is occasioned thereby.

As governmental interference with the normal course of industry has occasioned the present unsettled wage and employment conditions, it is but natural that a demand should be formulated that the government remedy the evil, which is of its own making. There is a startling shortage in the supply of man power in many lines of food production. Men who are accustomed to toiling in the mills or shops and living in cities offer their services as farm laborers only as a last resort; they prefer city life on short rations to an ample supply of food and clothing if compelled to live with their families in some country district.

But the government has full authority to conscript all the man power that has been released by the shifting of industrial activities and to form it into civil units to be employed in the production of food. Many of those who have a horror of farm life are not aware that their feeling of repugnance is occasioned by something of which they have little or no understanding. They forget that the honor and the glory is not in the task, but in performing the task for the honor of the common country. Manual labor ceases to be distasteful when the laborer is actuated by a sense of accomplishment of a sacred duty. Every person who adds another unit to the productive force of the nation is the present crisis is a public benefactor. Those employed in industries that are not directly associated with feeding our people and supporting our armies in the field are an even greater hindrance to the cause of democracy than if they were idle. It is wholly within the province of the government to draft all those whom it has thrown out of immediate employment and to set them to work making two bushels of wheat grow where but one grew before. Such a course will be of lasting benefit alike to the government and to the individual. Let us have conscription of the idle units of man power.

NO APPEAL.

There is one judge that can never be bribed or forced to render an unwise or unfair decision. It is yourself. From that judge there is no appeal. There is one court in which you will never succeed in obtaining any mercy, but in which you will always receive absolute justice. It is the court of your own conscience. Bribe and browbeat the judges of earth if you will or if you can; let the priests absolve you if that brings you comfort; hoodwink yourself into thinking that God has blotted out your sins and stopped the reign of law in order to save you from the consequences of your evil and unnatural deeds—but never, for one second, allow yourself to be such a fool as to try to fool yourself. You can't do it!

AN ENTERPRISING OYSTER.

A chef in Bath, Me., while shucking oysters recently found a five-dollar gold piece imbedded between the flesh and the shell of one of the bivalves. As a rule the members of the shelly tribe get nothing for their pains of producing pearls, but evidently this one had managed to make an inland trip, sold his product to a jeweler and was hoarding up his money for hard times. He may have intended to buy a Liberty Bond during the next drive.

WHY FEED THEM?

During the recent trial of forty-nine I.W.W.'s in Sacramento one of the prisoners tried to get the sympathy of the court and the spectators by claiming that his companions had been mistreated, having been given but two meals daily. That was just two meals more than they had earned. What right has a non-producer to expect anything at the hands of the world's toilers?

THE TRAGEDY OF RUSSIA.

No more tragic page has been written in the political history of the world than the passing of Russia. Twelve months ago this word symbolized a powerful empire embracing one-sixth the land surface of the globe and supported by a standing army of 10,000,000 men. Today the Russian Empire is dead; the powerful nobles who formed the Russian court have been scattered like drifting leaves by a blast of anarchy. The happiest are perhaps those who fell in the first days of the revolution that tore the Czar from the imperial Winter Palace and thrust him into a fortress prison. Hundreds of those who escaped the atrocities of the first bloody days are now languishing in Russian dungeons; thousands of others are exiles or have met violent deaths. But it is not the nobility alone that has suffered. The great middle class that represented the productive force of Russia has ceased to exist; the Russian bourgeoisie is either scattered or dead; the churches are despoiled; the banks are robbed; factories are looted; shops are closed; government has ceased to function and the title to all portable wealth in what was once Russia is vested in the strongest and the most unscrupulous.

Law and justice fell with the old monarchy. When the Czar signed his own abdication responsible government ceased to exist. Chaos has swept back across the Russian steppes. Strong men of the type of Gen. Kaledines took their own lives preferably to living after Russia itself was dead; weaker ones like Kerensky fled in the livery of lackeys after ruling in the purple of emperors. There has been a harking back to the barbaric ages.

Beside the bloody chaos prevailing throughout what was Russia, the atrocities of the French revolution appear insignificant. There was never a time when the Jacobins were not honestly striving for the amelioration of the French people; they were misguided but sincere, and they offered their own lives as a sacrifice on the altar of liberty. But the red-handers of Petrograd and Moscow are actuated by no high ideals. Their one law is that of plunder. Russia is a crazy giant who has become the prey of his own passions. In the cities the police have been disbanded. When the house of a citizen is entered by thieves he is without recourse; there are no officers to call upon for the protection of property or for the pursuit of robbers. The Reds form themselves into bands for indiscriminate plunder. If they observe a citizen whose coat they desire to take he is stopped in the main thoroughfare of a populous city and his garments are removed. Women are forced to disrobe in the streets that their gowns and jewels may be lavished on others who are able to pay in the only currency that has not lost its value.

With the breaking up of the Russian Empire the different races that were united under the rule of the Czars are assembling in separate governments. The statue is broken and twenty little nations are forming from the fragments. But these little nations seem unable to establish stable governments; they are all of the same clay as the fallen idol, and the strife for power in each of these is a repetition in miniature of that which wrecked the Russian Empire.

No republican government has ever been established in Russia. The Times pointed out eight months ago that Kerensky and his associates had established an autocracy under the fictitious name of a republic and warned the Allied governments to beware of placing too much confidence in a government established by decree. The leaders of the movement that overthrew the Romanoff regime sought personal aggrandizement and not the public good, while the unlettered Russian masses have no adequate conception of the meaning of the word democracy. They believed that liberty meant the total abolition of legalized restraint; that free people paid no taxes and obeyed no fixed laws and in the present wild license they imagine they are following the tenets of democracy.

This wild tide of anarchy that has engulfed Russia is a recurrence of the flood which seems to invariably follow the breaking up of despotic regimes. It forms about a fallen throne like gangrene about an open wound. Some able students of history assert that it is a malady from which every people must suffer who change from a government of men to one of ideas. The Russian masses formerly knew no form of government superior to that of an anointed Emperor, who, they were taught to believe, promulgated decrees for the government of the people that were revealed to him direct from God. In their untutored minds there was no separation of church and state. Their first attempts at a government of ideas is a world tragedy.

And the wild tide of anarchy that has already swept over the Russian provinces is a flood too mighty to be checked by fictitious state boundaries. There are other empires in Europe as autocratic as that of the Czars, and in these there are gaping wounds about which the same gangrene threatens to form. The thrones of Hapsburg and Hohenzollern are tottering. The chaos symbolized by the Bolsheviki has attacked the lower strata of German and Austrian society. The successful rising of the Russian masses is as great a menace to the government of the Central Powers as the armed forces of democracy facing them on the western front. Force is powerful only against ignorance; ideas are immune to dungeons and steel. Once a people becomes imbued with a sense of its own might, the power of its oppressors vanishes like shadows before sunlight. France and England have naught to fear from this spread of Russian anarchy. France passed from the government of men to that of ideas during the turbulent period of her own revolution. In England the metamorphosis has been in progress for more than a century. The balanced Saxon mind evaded the bloody hemorrhage which marked the transition in more autocratic states. In our own country the attempt to cause a rising of the laborers and the unemployed has wasted away in the fitful flashes of the I.W.W. An awakened democracy is immune to the maladies of license.

Late news dispatches reveal that the German government is sending armed troops into the Russian provinces for the ostensible purpose of restoring order and aiding the fragmentary nations in establishing stable governments. Such a movement is at best a forlorn hope, destined to failure from its inception. The Russian proletariat has enjoyed a taste of liberty, of blood and of plunder. It will fight to the death before it will return to a bondage as hopeless as that from which it has made its escape. The forces of democracy can view with equanimity this latest move on the part of the Central Powers. They are wasting their energies and hastening the day of the triumph of democracy. Those little peoples who have not yet reconciled themselves to governments of their own making will scorn to accept one ready-made from the hands of a Hohenzollern.

"The Old Order Changeth."

POLITICAL PARAMOURS.

In strenuous times it would seem that a man of large honor would hesitate about running for office on the strength of such advertising as he might give himself through being placed in a position to harass unpopular industrial corporations.

Nor should an administration whose principal business is the patriotic and practical conduct of a mighty war permit itself to be exploited in a bit of "small-time" politics for the benefit of an individual.

Because he is placed in a limelight position wherein he can harpoon some of the commerce of the country the backers of St. Francis Jeremiah Heney fancy that he can be boosted into the Governorship of the ought-to-be great State of California. He doesn't represent any particular party or set of principles or any particular place in the sun. He certainly does not live in Santa Monica and is not a Californian. He has lived in this State only a few months in the past sixteen years. He represents nobody and nothing but himself. He is simply Heney, the man who stuck out his tongue at a trust. In his make-up there is none of that massive timber out of which great war Governors are made. In the whole realm of nature he would rather function as a cockleburr than anything else. He comes not to soothe, but annoy. He yearns to chase cats with a red-hot poker. The reputation that usually attaches to the village pest does not affright him. Somebody must stir up the animals, and why not Heney? There may be notoriety or money in it—why not for Heney?

When he enlists in political warfare he wears a most picturesque uniform. There is the blue coat of the Republicans, the bloody shirt of the Democracy and the cute white panties of the Progressives. Are not these the colors of his country—the red, white and blue?

Bet your life. They are and Heney is the little patriot who can wear them. When it is his time to sit in the Republican convention he buttons his coat up tight around his neck and sits in the third row back. For a few minutes he looks like the real article. When he goes over to the Democratic convention he takes off his coat and saunters down the aisle in his shirt sleeves, meanwhile greeting the bunch with "Howdy!" When the Progressive convention is on he carelessly cocks his white draped limbs up on the speaker's table and passes for one of the elect.

It is only in California that a man can officially belong to three opposing political parties in one day. He may not have three wives, but he can have three political consciences—and all of them elastic.

All the States in the Union protect and maintain the single domestic relation, but the California primary law places a premium on infidelity.

When a woman runs about with three or four men they call her a very harsh name, but when a politician becomes the paramour of three or four different political parties they send him to Congress—or Sacramento.

Why is this condition permitted to exist? Has the political conscience of California ossified?

Dave Fulwider says that when Francis J. Heney learns of the universal demand that he make the race for the Governorship he will accede to the wishes of his friends. Ah, you boys on the back seats quit your tittering!

Many a man who gets home in the wee small hours can't tell his wife where he has been on account of the war censorship.

WHY DO WE LAUGH?

The Los Angeles vaudeville stage has recently presented to the amusement-loving public a number of talented entertainers who excel in the art of imitation. What is the secret of this subtle charm of imitation? Why is it that people who can see no humor in the speech and actions of an old darky will laugh themselves into hysterics when someone does a clever imitation of Uncle Joe's voice, gestures and mannerisms? Why do we take such delight in an imitation of a Caruso or a Mansfield, even though the imitator gives a very imperfect interpretation of the work of the great actor or singer? Why do we smile when we see and hear someone imitate Paderewski, even though his music may be almost as good as the master pianist's—music which we weep over when we hear it produced by the great artist himself? Clearly, it is our sense of humor that is appealed to, but why is imitation provocative of mirth? How is it that the genuine stirs us to pity, melancholy, anger, love and all the more serious emotions, while the mimicry or simulation of the strong and beautiful appeals to us as ludicrous? Is the joke on the master artists, and do we smile because the imitator must necessarily betray those who inspire him in order to show us a few of the tricks which the artists employ to touch our finer feelings? Is it that we are glad to find the great ones so very human, after all—tickled to realize that they are not the gods we thought them, but that, with all their genius, they are just plain creatures of clay like ourselves? Do we like to think that their dignity is all camouflage and that the varnish has been scraped off by a clown, leaving them naked and exposed to our view? Is it the agreeable shock occasioned by this discovery of our unity with greatness—or rather the egotistic assumption that genius has been brought down to our own level—that makes us laugh? What makes for the fascination of imitation? Whatever it is, the fact remains that we all like it. Send us more imitators!

SAVING THAT PAYS.

Somehow the thrift stamp campaign has not taken hold in this territory as it should have done.

It is the safest plan of saving that we know. It is a plan that the government put great store by. England raised several billion dollars in this way.

In the course of four years a person can save $100 by paying out $80. One can save $5 by paying out $4.80. One can put in $1 a week or $1 a day and draw down that money and get 3 per cent. on it after a short period.

We have got to pay about one-half of the expense of this war out of our savings. The banks and the big moneyed men alone cannot absorb all the bonds. We have got to absorb the government bonds from week to week and from day to day, and place them where the banks will not be further annoyed.—[Memphis Commercial Appeal.

"When do We Leave?"

"When are we to leave?" is a question that is often asked in the soldiers' camps. One of the camp papers, the Wadsworth Gas Attack, treats the ever-recurring question humorously. After a column of bogus interviews and rumors it prints this summary

Number of persons interviewed	9781
Number who knew exactly when we are going to leave	9781
Number of persons who agreed on the date of departure	0

—[Outlook.

Folks and Their Foibles.

The first time Aunt Sally's daughter left the baby with her mother she said to her "I don't think she will wake while I am gone, but if she does wake, mamma, if you will shake the bed a little I am sure she will go back to sleep. But if you have to take her up, mamma, don't feed her anything. The least little thing upsets her stomach. And don't take her outside, mamma, and don't take her near the fire." Aunt Sally looked at her daughter over her specs and said to her: "Maybe you had better take the baby along with you, Molly."—[Kansas City Star.

BETWEEN THINKS.

BY EUGENE BROWN.

The Fidget Philosopher.

It beets cane how sugar keeps up.

If the Austrian Ministry wants a goat there is Count Toggenberg.

What use is money, anyhow? Money is only a means to an end, and when it is gone there is an end to your means.

Love's flame burns brightly when it starts with a good match.

Nature note: One alligator makes a precious pear.

There's no smoke without some smoker.

Hiram Johnson has given his name to the Hohenzollern Reserves, who would use American money to cover damage wrought by Germans in France. But it's dollars to doughnuts that all the Johnson fund will be used to restore political fences in California.

People who live up against the hills were glad that they had not entirely forgotten how to shovel snow.

Speaking of unusual sights, there was a funeral procession the other day wherein the hearse was drawn by a team of mules.

If a man wants to acquire polish he might take a first course in reading the signs advertising it on the billboards.

Wonderful Words.

Pete Fisher: Yes ma'am; that is the ocean.

Hugo Chase: Hasn't she got wonderful eyes?

Simon Waite: Thanks. I'll take a little of the soup.

Henry Hawkshaw: He looks like a German spy to me.

Tottie Spangles: I thought the hick never would loosen up.

Bughouse Bareshanks: That is what they call a high fog.

Silas Pettibone: Yes; Mr. Barber, you may cut my hair.

Mrs. Pansy Prune: I think Reginald takes after his father.

Jack Potts: We'll take just one more and then we'll all go home.

Col. Will Ketchum: Of course we shall have to charge you the usual commission.

Muchmore Merritt: Isn't it frightful to think of liver being forty-five cents a pound?

Compensations.

The law of compensation appears to have attached itself rather closely to our fellow-man—and woman.

Girls who are dazzlingly beautiful are seldom wise. They are sometimes smart and often flippant, but rarely turn out to be Lady Solomons. A girl who is much given to showing her pearly teeth seldom shows pearls of wisdom in her noodle. A girl who is a clever dancer is not often a clever thinker, and a girl who paints her face cannot paint a Madonna with a brush. When a girl is both useful and ornamental it is hard to say whether it is an accident or a dispensation. A girl who makes her own waists and bakes light biscuits is usually a rotten performer on the ukulele. Usually the girl who decorates her map the most is the one who needs it least. The fierce old dame who has a good imitation of a mustache never thinks of shaving.

In man's world the gifts of Minerva are husbanded. Some of the most fluent conversationalists are scantily reinforced with thought. The orator is seldom a graceful writer, and the poet is a pale pink punk performer on the stump. The man who has the front of a Roman Senator or a Hercules may have the soul of a shrimp, while some little dried-up runt may be a regular old Wisenheimer.

One of the most brilliant and effective pulpit orators we ever knew could not construct an intelligent sentence on paper. Sometimes when he would be suddenly called upon to prepare something for publication the results would be pitiful and few printers could make anything coherent from his copy. But turn him loose in the pulpit and his sonorous voice would pour forth a Niagara of majestic phrase. He had the shell of William Jennings Bryan, but a dwarfed colonel within.

It wouldn't do for a man to have everything—not even a baseball pitcher.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

WAR'S LESSONS.

We're learning something every day of how to sidestep wanton waste; we drink less milk, we smoke less hay, we husband hair oil, salve and paste. Our lives have been one grand sweet song! we've thrown our money to the cow; it's something we have needed long, the lesson we are learning now. I used to throw my shoes away when they were frayed around the soles, but now I wear them till they're gray and have the cobbler patch the holes. I used to can my Sunday pants when they grew baggy at the knees, but now my two old maiden aunts are pressing for me duds like these. And people in adjacent flats, like me, would save the hard-earned bucks; they're wearing prehistoric hats and buying soupbones more than ducks. I used to buy the costly roast, all luxuries in town were mine; but now it is my frequent boast that I eat liver when I dine. In former times my wife reclined in indolence that did not pay, but now I make her do her grind—she takes in washing by the day. By saving here and saving there, by trimming where expenses are, I always have ten cents to spare, to buy myself a good cigar. WALT MASON.

Top Price for Cotton.

Probably the highest priced cotton sold in the country this year, with the possible exception of Sea Island, was three bales of the Pima variety raised on the ranch of J. F. Warner, in the Salt River Valley. Mr. Warner struck the top price, selling three bales at 80 1-4 cents a pound, while five other bales brought almost as much.—[Holtville Tribune.

A feeble-minded man ought to be put away in some public institution, not sent to Congress.

DROLL STORIES.

Seems Reasonable.

A young cavalry officer was taking a stroll early one morning when he came upon one of his men trying his best to get a horse to jump a fence. After watching the greenhorn for some time the officer said:

"How do you expect to get the horse to go when you've only got one spur on?"

The recruit looked down at his boot and replied:

"Well, sir, if I can only get that side of the horse to go the other one is bound to keep up with him."—[Answers.

Badly Expressed.

R. F. Howe of the aircraft board was talking about Lord Lansdowne's ill-received peace letter.

"Lord Lansdowne," he said, "informs us that in his peace letter, which followed on the heels of the Italian defeat, he meant to say what President Wilson so well said in his last message to Congress. Well, Lord Lansdowne certainly expressed himself unfortunately.

"He's as bad as the minister who had secured, after great trouble, a fine cemetery for his congregation.

"Walking complacently in the cemetery one afternoon, the minister came upon a widow who was planting flowers on the fresh grave of her late husband.

"'Good afternoon, my dear Mrs. Slocum,' said the minister.

"'Good afternoon, doctor,' said the widow, wiping her eyes.

"He looked around him with a contented smile. Then he said:

"'Our new cemetery seems to be filling up nicely, does it not?'"—[Washington Star.

His Wife's First Want.

On a clear, cool evening in the early spring a man on a horse crossed the ridge of a Kentucky mountain, and, seeing a cabin in the valley, turned his horse in that direction. The cabin was whitewashed and clean. The mountaineer and his family sat on the porch. Several children played in the yard. The stranger arrived at the gate and was invited in and sat down.

"Stranger," asked the mountaineer, "are you interested in our oil up here?"

"Well, no," said the stranger, "I haven't much faith in oil. I hear of these people who suddenly strike it rich, but I never find them."

The old man chuckled and said: "I am one. Yesterday I was poor; today I am rich. I was just asking my family, now that we could have things, what they would rather have. Now John, here, he wants a horse, and Molly wants a new dress, and Susie says she'll take books. By the way, wife, what would you rather have?"

The old lady never hesitated a minute. "Well," she said, "I'm pretty tired cutting wood with a dull ax; I'll take a new ax."—[Bubble.

No Bad Habits.

The fussy old gentleman asked the chance traveling companion:

"Have you any children, sir?"

"Yes, sir; a son."

"Does he smoke?"

"Ah, sir, he never so much as touched a cigarette."

"So much the better, sir; the use of tobacco is a poisonous habit. Does he frequent clubs?"

"He has never put his foot in one."

"Allow me to congratulate you. Does he never come home late?"

"Never. He goes to bed directly after dinner."

"A model young man, sir; a model young man. How old is he?"

"Just six months."—[London Opinion.

Interior Decorations.

An Irish soldier coming out of ether in the hospital ward after an operation exclaimed audibly: "Thank God! That is over!"

"Don't be so sure," said the man in the next cot, "they left a sponge in me and had to cut me open again." And the patient on the other side said: "Why, they had to open me, too, to find one of their instruments."

Just then the surgeon who had operated on the Irishman stuck his head in the door and yelled: "Has anybody seen my hat?"—[Illustrated World.

WHAT HE NEEDED.

The tired representative of a Yokohama railroad association stretched himself when his train reached St. Louis. He had been sent to the United States to get an insight into efficiency as exemplified on the Atchison, Burlington and Pennsylvania. He had taken the southern route across the western plains. It was unfortunate that he had come to study efficiency just when the railroads of the United States were tied up with the worst freight glut in history. His train was fifty-seven hours late at St. Louis, and he was not much impressed with American railway methods. "Get me a time-table so that I can figure out when I will get to New York," said the Japanese expert to the colored porter. "A time-table, mister?" replied the porter. "I's afraid it ain't a time-table what you needs. What you wants is a calendar."—[The Argonaut.

FROM THE FRENCH.

Assez.

Le Defaitiate:
On ne devrait faire aux All'mands
Nulle peine, meme legere:
Ils sont si doux, ces Inno-
Pan!

The Pacifist:
'Tis wrong to be unkind or rough
To our dear friends the Germans;
They are so inno—
"Stop! Enough!"
—[Le Rire, Paris.

Practical Hospitality.

Le Blesse Boche: Ces champignons que vous m'avez offerts avant-hier m'ont rendu bien malade!

"Ach! . . . alors je vais jeter le reste, car j'attendais votre reponse pour savoir s'ils etaient bons!

Convalescent Boche: Those mushrooms that you gave me yesterday have made me awfully sick.

His Thoughtful Host: Ach! then I'll throw away the rest: I was just waiting to know whether they were good or not.—[Le Pele-Mele (Paris.)

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF

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The best time to prune a tree is when the wind is in the north.

Seeing how soon [illegible] are done for, we wonder why they were begun for.

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However, if Marie Fitzgerald does not go on the boards much will be forgiven.

Remember when one could get a fat hen for two-bits and a flock of turkeys for a dollar?

Speaking of the wooden manner of the old Spaniard, "Febrero loco y Marzo [illegible]."

Wonder if those Los Angeles dogs have yet reached the insurrecto sector in the Champagne?

With the war on let us hope Tamulty must be having more of his happy young life.

Almost anybody can [illegible] administration how to run it. It is the easiest thing to do.

A man advertises "Fine White Leghorn hens" and we know where the rest of 'em.

"Three Thousand Miles Through Prison" reads a headline, and we know what a Hun would call it for.

What has become of the man who once proposed across the Atlantic Ocean?

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It is estimated that the peach growers may have a fruit worth almost $5,000,000 season. That harvest is over peach.

The wife of Secretary Bak singing in the army camps, ought to assist in rebuilding Baker family in the good work nation.

The Bureau of Fisheries tin uting posters giving ten reasons eating oysters more popular. the man hasn't the price is other reasons are scarce now.

Forty more negro soldiers ing tried in Houston, on ch of mutiny. Thought the chapter had been closed wholesale executions by tary authorities.

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IN SIGHT.

Imperial German:—
Thy end is near;
Thy honor now is gone,
Thy soul pinched, with fear
ing, and lust.
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To the world, Fate has
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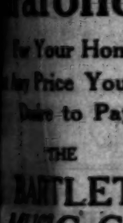

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Crisis.

ARIE EDWARDS BARES SHAME TO SAVE LIFE.

ars She Financed Senator's Career with Her Earnings, but Balked at Final Degradation.

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ad, unless away from the ndlines when he was in need and could not come to the d he would phone to me uld send it to him by mes ger," she testified.
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efendant declared she was ght of accompanying Senator frequent trips, these occa ring a period of six years, been with him to San Diego n a dozen trips, she said, e had been with him to San Bernardino and the

ST'S BE BEAT HER.

If there had been any between her and Senator r to the shooting she an Lyon came to the place he was conducting as a dis here, in September, 1916, he accusing her of carrying n police lieutenant "beat her to an extent that she was to call in two doctors. ent at certain times she money from Jessie Elliott, Williams and Pauline ve to Lyon.

gives an account of her th Lyon with reference coming marriage between witness faced the jury and tently believed his repeated promises of marriage to me. He told me he did not love Mrs. Marie M. Lyon, whom he married on September 2, 1917, and wanted to secure evidence on which to secure a divorce. He went so far as to employ a messenger boy to watch his wife's movements while at her ranch near Glendale, in order to get this evidence.

"TO GET PROPERTY."

"Three days after his marriage he came back from San Diego and called at my house. At that time he told me he didn't love his present wife and that all he married her for was to get the ranch property she owned near Glendale. Henry [meaning Mr. Lyon] called regularly on me every day after his wife went downtown to his office. He would frequently drink a quart of whisky a day during these calls."

Miss Edwards declared that hitherto she knew Mrs. Lyon by sight, but was later introduced to her in a cafe at Watts by Senator Lyon.

Questioned concerning whether she was addicted to drugs, Miss Edwards said that three months prior to the shooting Lyon asked her to take heroin, adding that "she would feel a lot better." Lyon, she said, used to take the drug with her.

"Do you remember the day of October 9, 1917, on which Mr. Lyon was shot?" Mr. Eddie asked.

"Some of it."

"Relate some of the incidents leading up to this day."

"Well, Mr. Lyon came to me on October 7 and said he wanted me to enter a Japanese house. He said: 'You're a blonde, Marie, and all Japanese like blondes and dislike brunettes. You'll make a lot of money and then we'll leave Los Angeles and go where we are not known and buy a home and get married and settle down. He said he would furnish the house for me."

NEARLY FAINTS.

Miss Edwards seemed very much moved at this point in the proceedings and it appeared that she was going to faint. However, she recovered her composure and continued:

"I refused to do this and then he became very angry, saying that if I did not want to do what he wanted me to do he was through with me for good and would not marry me.

"The next day he called me up on the telephone and asked me if I was ready to take up his proposition. I said I would not do it, and, after repeating 'Japanese like blond girls—you'll make more money,' he hung up the phone.

"On October 9 [the day of the shooting] he rang me up in the morning and asked me the same thing. Upon my refusal to enter into this plan he became violently angry and told me I was nothing but a common prostitute and could go to ——."

Miss Edwards said that he phoned again during the day, saying he was through with her for good. She added that up till October 9 she had never partaken of alcoholic liquors, though she continued to be a user of heroin. On that day, however, following the quarrel with Lyon, she began drinking.

"I called up Mr. Lyon's apartment to see if he was at home, a woman answered. After inquiring who I was she said I had no right to ring up Mr. Lyon, as he didn't care for me any more. She [Mrs. Lyon] called me a woman of the street.

"I replied that I had a right to call up over a telephone that I was paying for. With this Mrs. Lyon declared she intended to secure a divorce from her husband and wished to know if I would testify in court. I told her I would not."

TELLS OF SHOOTING.

The defendant was then questioned in regard to the circumstances immediately leading up to the shooting. Sobbing frequently under the strain of the ordeal under which she was going, and with a handkerchief continuously wiping away the tears, Miss Edwards told of her driving up to the Stanford apartments in the early evening of October 9, in front of which the shooting took place. Lyon was seated in his automobile, but stepped down to the curb as she approached. They had some words.

"He shoved me off the curb," she continued, "and pulled a pistol—dark-colored—from his pocket, saying, as he pointed the gun at me, 'I am going to kill you, you ——!' I said: 'Henry, put up your gun!' He took a step toward me and I fired two shots at him. With that he staggered and fell. I rushed up to assist him and he said to me: 'For God's sake, Marie, duck before the cops come!' and with that I returned to my machine and was driven away."

Asked why she had a revolver in her possession when she went to the Lyon home, Miss Edwards said emphatically that if Lyon did not make up with her she intended to kill herself with the gun.

She said she had twelve morphine tablets with her when she drove to the Lyon home. After the shooting, she said, she made an attempt to swallow some of these tablets but that they made her very sick. Later on, at the home of Miss Elliot, she made a second attempt to commit suicide by taking the tablets but was prevented from doing so by Miss Elliott.

Miss Edwards identified telephone receipts and a contract, which were placed in evidence as having to do with the telephone in Senator Lyon's apartment, on which the defendant asserted, she paid the bills for a certain length of time. An assortment of postcards, telegrams and letters, alleged to have been sent the defendant by Senator Lyon from time to time during their acquaintance, was also placed among the list of exhibits by the defense.

The letters showed that Lyon used various cognomens in his correspondence with her, including "Jacky" "John" and "Henry." In the telegrams he signed himself "John Smith," "Henry Long" and John Jamison." Usually he began his correspondence with "Dear Marie," or "Dear Friend Marie." In one of his letters he signed himself "Dear old Pal, John." Most of the epistles were posted at Sacramento while Senator Lyon was attending sessions of the State Legislature, and were written on official paper with the Legislature heading.

In a letter to Miss Edwards from Redding, dated May 15, 1917, he wrote, "This town is wide open.

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Miss Jacques Manville.

MISSING GIRL IS FOUND, ARRESTED.

SAYS SHE RAN AWAY FROM HOME TO BE NEAR HER FRIENDS AT KEARNY.

Giving as the reason for her running away that she was dissatisfied with her life, Jacques Manville, 15 years old, who disappeared from her home at Westgate last Friday, was arrested at the Del Mar rooming-house at San Diego yesterday morning and brought to Los Angeles late yesterday afternoon.

The girl left her home last Friday with a check for $18, with which she was to pay some bills for her family. She was last seen at the Ocean Park Hotel with Valentine Plano, a bellboy, who was later arrested by Deputy Sheriffs Fox and Nolan on a serious charge.

On Tuesday, a post card was received from the girl, on which she stated that she was in San Diego and wanted her parents to come and get her. This furnished the clew which led to her arrest. A complaint A complaint charging her with being a delinquent minor was sworn to and a warrant issued, the San Diego police taking the girl into custody.

When turned over to the juvenile authorities yesterday she declared that she had many friends who would befriend her with being a delinthought she would be more satisfied living in San Diego. She said that she took the $18 given her to pay bills with and departed for the southern city.

SECURE BIG SUM IN THE Y.W.C.A. DRIVE.

COMPETITION BETWEEN TEAMS OF CAMPAIGN WORKERS HERE IS KEEN.

The Y.W.C.A.'s total after two days of campaigning is $13,046.25. This amount was announced yesterday at the noonday luncheon held at headquarters by the 200 campaign workers. The second day's drive resulted in the garnering of $4607.25.

With six days left in which to reach their goal for $55,000 interest among the campaigners is already becoming keenly competitive. The "We Lead" banner, which during the drive is held by the team having the highest total, is still in the possession of team No. 12 of the Blue division, captained by Mrs. W. W. Crabill. This team, which reported $800 for its first day's work, now stands at the head of the list with $1205. Team No. 9 of the White division, captained by Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, has advanced into second place, with a total of $1275, and team No. 14 of the Blue division, captained by Mrs. Grantland S. Long, still holds third position, with $1002 accredited for the two-days' work.

The "We Are It" pennants, awarded to the four division teams making the highest record each day, are now held by team No. 1 of the Red division, captained by Mrs. Lloyd G. Harmon; team No. 9 of the White division, captained by Mrs. Willoughby Rodman; team No. 12 of the Blue division, captained by Mrs. W. W. Crabill, and team No. 21 of the "Allies" division, captained by E. P. Clark. The team which yesterday made the largest gain was that captained by Mrs. Rodman, $1007 having been garnered in the second day's drive as against $265 for the first day.

At the noonday luncheon today, there will be two guests of honor, Lieut. MacDonald and Hugh Amida Matier. Short talks will be given by them. Mr. Matier, who is regimental sergeant-major of the Irish Fusiliers of Canada, being scheduled to tell some of the interesting bits of patriotism manifested by the women war workers.

COMES RIGHT BACK.

Woman Whom Husband Made Defendant in Annulment Suit, Alleging Coercion, Wins Decree.

Mary Judson Corson was awarded a decree of divorce from Lester A. Corson, former motion-picture actor, in Judge Wood's court yesterday. The story she told was that of a Santa Ana elopement and marriage, on the understanding that the matter was to be kept a secret for two weeks. They were then to live in Pasadena.

The reason for the secrecy, Mrs. Corson said, was because he did not want his folks to know that he was out of a job, as he expected to get another in two weeks.

The couple separated after the marriage, which was January 15, 1918. Subsequently she was served with papers in an annulment suit filed by Mr. Corson. To this Mrs. Corson filed an answer denying that she had coerced him into marrying her. This suit was dismissed later.

No Alternative.

TO TURN MAN POWER TO USE.

Germans Who Didn't Register Now Face Internment.

Will Work for Government at Fifteen Cents a Day.

Cards for Waterfront Workers are Received Here.

German enemy man power is to be used as a weapon against the Central Powers. Those who willfully disregarded the government's order to register themselves as German enemies of the government, it was announced yesterday, are to be rounded up, interned on Presidential warrants, and compelled to produce useful supplies for Uncle Same during the period of the war.

For their industry they will receive fifteen cents a day, this being the same pay that the Germans allow their working prisoners. The only difference is that the United States will provide its interned workers with sustenance, whereas the German government compels its working prisoners to pay for their food out of their daily allowance.

Next week the police and Federal authorities in all the cities of the country will be busily engaged in handing out the cards that are to be issued to those who registered according to government instructions. As soon as these cards have been given out the police will immediately begin checking up the German enemies in order to identify those who declined to register. All of those who are not in possession of registration cards and traveling passes after the first day of March, will be interned, it is asserted.

MUST PRODUCE.

Internment, contrary to the general belief, does not mean a soft seat in the sun, from now to the end of war, Federal officials say. It means that everyone who is interned must become a producer. Shoemakers must work in government shoe shops; harness makers must manufacture cavalry saddles and artillery harness, while carpenters must build structures which will be of use to the government while the war lasts.

At the Atlanta Federal prison, hundreds of interned men are manufacturing wearing apparel for the army and navy. On the Gulf Coast a great number of wood workers are making collapsible huts and field hospitals for the government.

FOR IDENTIFICATION.

United States Marshal Walton yesterday received a shipment of 35,000 identification cards direct from Washington for use by teamsters, workmen, chauffeurs, who have business within that is known as the prohibited zone at the various water fronts of the district. These can only be secured by application to the Marshal or to the Federal officers at the various points where shipyards are located or where ships of 500 tons or more are landed.

It is the intention of the government to prohibit the presence of every person within the territory of the restricted district, unless they are furnished with a card, and in order to secure this means of identification, a thorough system has been provided.

The cards are numbered and issued in triplicate, and each one must bear the photograph of the person in whose possession they are found. One of the cards is given to the applicant, another to the officer in charge of the special district or zone, and the third remains in the hands of the United States Marshal.

The cards will be used by employees and those whose business require them to visit the shipyards or wharves at the harbor, Santa Barbara, Redondo Beach, Long Beach, Santa Monica, San Diego and other points, and the distribution to these places will take place a once.

OPEN INSTITUTE FOR RELIGIOUS WORKERS.

EXPERTS TELL OF NEW METHODS OF BIBLE TEACHING AT METHODIST CHURCH.

The first of a series of institutes to be held in different sections of the State by instructors from the national headquarters of the Sunday-school Institute started at the First Methodist Church, Sixth and Hill streets, yesterday.

"In the teaching of little children the Bible material should not be the first consideration," said Mrs. Mary Muffly Morehouse, one of the principal speakers and in charge of the primary department. "The first thing the Sunday-school primary teacher must study is the capacity and the particular needs of the children and since these needs are constantly changing it is out of the question to think of using a uniform lesson or to have them all assembled in the same service of worship."

Rev. Harry C. Wilson, in charge of the institute department, spoke on the "Twentieth Century Sunday-school."

"It is a new institution," he said, "and one with none of the characteristics of the old. It is now becoming a real educational institution with its graded lessons, and pedagogical methods. The purpose of the new school is to give the church intelligent and trained leadership rather than to teach merely a few verses of Scripture designated as a Sunday-school lesson."

"Training for Leadership" was the subject of Rev. Arlo A. Brown. He emphasized the fact that heretofore too great stress has been laid on the actual teaching, rather than on the training for leadership, of students.

"Handwork in Religious Education" will be the subject on which Mrs. Morehouse will speak at the morning session today while Dr. Arlo Brown will discuss "Graded Instruction in the Sunday-school." Rev. William Bovard will talk on "What Adult Classes Should Study."

At the afternoon session, "Building the Bible Class" will be dilated upon by Dr. Bovard; "The Use of Stories in Religious Education" will be discussed by Mr. Morehouse and Dr. Brown will talk on the "Making of a Teacher."

At the evening session an address, "Recruiting for the Kingdom," will be delivered by Dr. Bovard.

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Men's $2 Neckwear $1.45
For today only—ten dozen men's all-silk ties of the smartest patterns and colorings; special.....$1.45
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For 28 Years the Home of Perrin Gloves

Chic Spring Millinery
For every purpose—of dress, of business, of sports—the correct spring and early summer millinery reaches us daily. The feature of moderate price adds greatly to the desirability of Coulter millinery.
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Bungalow Plaid Blankets (6 Styles) $4 to $7
For present cool nights, and looking to the future, when prices will in all probability be higher, or to next summer, when beach and camping parties are in vogue again, we suggest Bungalow Plaid Blankets; they are better than comforts; they can be laundered, and will last for years, so they are cheaper than comforts in the long run; six styles, $4, $4.25, $4.75, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.
Odds and Ends in Blankets—two tables full of white, gray, plaid and tan blankets; specially priced from $3.85 to $14.75.
(Bedding; Second Floor)

All Shades in $1.50 Crepes de Chine, yd. $1.10
White, black, flesh, ivory and every conceivable shade that is good in these popular materials—and the best $1.50 quality you can buy—on special sale today only, at yard $1.10.
(Silks; Second Floor)

New Sports Gloves
Hansen's and other noted makes of fine gauntlet gloves in battleship gray, at $5.00; in tan cape at $3.50 to $5.00; and genuine California smoke tan buck at $3.50
(Gloves; Main Floor)

Warm New Coats
In Silvertones, wool velours, Bolivias and Burella cloths; popular shades for motoring, street or sports wear; some distinguished models have collars and cuffs in contrast, or of silk; $20 to $95.
(Garments; Third Floor)

Good Wool Sweaters
Plain knitted, Angora or Shetland wool sweaters in all leading colors, at prices from $3.95 to $25.
Silk Sweaters—in black, white and colors, at prices beginning with $12.50.
(Sweaters; Third Floor)

COULTER'S—Seventh Street at Olive
Seventh Street at Olive—COULTER'S

PROPOSED TO BRIDGE "DEATH CROSSING."

NEW PLAN TO ELIMINATE THE SCENE OF ACCIDENTS IS ANNOUNCED.

Another step was taken yesterday by the Public Works Committee of the Council to eliminate "Death Crossing" at Sherman drive and West boulevard when the recommendation was made that new proceedings be instituted at once so that work can be started at an early date upon an arched bridge which it is estimated will cost $26,000.

The crossing is considered to be one of the most hazardous within the city, according to the Board of Public Utilities. The West Sixteenth-street car line operates over it and numerous fatalities have occurred at this point.

Seven years ago citizens in that end of the city started a movement to have the crossing eliminated. Proceedings were finally started by the Council and preparations were made to do the work. Recently the City Attorney suggested that new proceedings be instituted because he did not believe the original proceedings were legal.

The Pacific Electric Company will pay half of the cost, the remainder to be divided between the city and persons within the assessment district.

MAY ABANDON STREET.

Vernon Officials Demand Tax of This City for Loads of Gravel Hauled Through Town.

The Board of Public Works yesterday threatened to abandon East Thirty-eighth street at the Los Angeles-Vernon city limits, because Vernon city officials are alleged to have attempted to hold up city gravel-wagon drivers for 50 cents per load. The gravel was being hauled from the river bed and it was charged that the officials demanded the money for the privilege of using Vernon streets.

The matter was referred to the City Attorney with instructions to have it investigated at once.

SEEK HEIR TO FORTUNE.

Man's Estate Valued at Huge Sum Cannot be Probated Until the Woman is Found.

The police here have been asked to assist in a nation-wide search for Laura Chronister, sometimes known as Laura Snow, who disappeared from Denver seven years ago. Knowledge of her whereabouts is desired so that a big estate may be closed up.

Miss Chronister, who is now 25 years of age, is the principal heir to the estate of her uncle, William Penn, a Denver man who struck it rich in the Cobalt mining district five years ago. When he passed away he left a will in which he made several bequests to relatives, but named his niece, Laura Chronister, as the principal heir, and he stipulated that the estate shall not be probated until she is located.

One of the clauses in the will is that the value of the estate shall not be mentioned until relatives hear from her. He made this stipulation fearing that if it became known that a fortune awaited her, the parties who are believed to have spirited her away might hold her for ransom. It is hinted, however, that the estate will run into six figures. Miss Chronister, then a girl of 18, disappeared while shopping with a cousin one afternoon. She was afterward heard from indirectly at Amarillo, Tex. Her mother is Mrs. Lydia Gillis of No. 3824 Cook street, Denver.

POSTPONE IOWA PICNIC.

On account of inclement weather, the Iowa State Society picnic, which was scheduled to be held tomorrow at Lincoln Park, will be postponed until March 2, at the same place, according to an announcement made last night.

RED CROSS AFFAIRS

For His Photo.

At the Alvarado-street chapter-house of the Red Cross, yesterday, Wallace Reid, the Lasky star, auctioned off his photographs and otherwise made himself patriotically useful. A big crowd was in attendance, and several hundred dollars were realized from the sale of autographed photographs of film celebrities and, incidentally, of tea and cake.

Help Is Needed.

Mrs. L. Vignolo, president of the Italian Auxiliary, Red Cross, which has its headquarters on South Broadway, near Ninth, yesterday received a plea for workers and funds.

"We have more than 100 workers at present," said Mrs. Vignolo, yesterday, "yet we have so many such pressing requests from Italy for aid, especially since the 500,000 refugees have come down from the north, that we more than have our hands full. We shipped yesterday thirteen cases of knitted articles, including helmets, surgical dressings, socks and sweaters, to Rome, where many of the refugees are being cared for."

All Knit the Same.

An odd little incident occurred last week in connection with the knitting which the Italian women of the fisherfolk of the Malba are doing for the Italian Chapter, all of course being experts with the needles, since all knit the family stockings.

"And when the stockings came in," said Mrs. Vignolo, "all the different sections of Italy were represented in the styles of knitting. One dear old lady wrote a note in Italian, saying, 'I cannot speak English, but praise be, we all knit in the same tongue.'"

SISTER IS LOSER.

Judge Holds that Woman's Charge that Brother was responsible for Accident Isn't Proved.

Miss Fannie Marks's $25,000 damage suit against her brother, Max Marks, charging that he was responsible for the automobile accident on the Chalk Hill grade September 12, 1915, was decided yesterday by Judge Valentine in Mr. Mark's favor.

The latter contended that when the machine skidded I. E. Laventhal, who lost his life in the accident, excitedly seized the steering wheel so that Mr. Marks could not control the machine.

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I Blame the Woman Who Lets a Man Drink
Says Druggist Brown

Of Cleveland. He Guarantees a Simple Home Treatment Given Without the Knowledge of the Drinker.

Cleveland, O.—No wife has a right to let her husband drink; for alcoholism is a disease and a drunkard is a sick man, says Druggist Brown of Cleveland. A woman can cure this disease — stop a drinking husband in a few weeks, for half what he would spend on liquor in the same time. The habit can be broken and the disease cured. Thousands of cases prove it and every community has its reformed drunkard. Druggist Brown says the right time to stop the drink habit is at its beginning. Left to run its course it will deaden the fine sensibilities of the man you love. Begin with the first whiff of liquor on his breath but do not despair if he has already gone from bad to worse until he has become a rum-soaked sot.

Druggist Brown knows the curse of strong drink, for he himself has been a victim. A loving sister, without his knowledge or consent, rescued him from the brink of a drunkard's grave and for ten years kept her secret. She saved him from drink—rescued him from his own depraved, besotted self by giving him a secret remedy, the formula of an old German chemist. To spare his debt to her and to help other victims out of the mark and mire as has made the formula public.

Druggists everywhere dispense it daily as Prepared Tuscum Powder, put up in doses. Get it of your own druggist and drop a powder twice a day in tea, coffee, milk or other drink. Soon the same time. The habit can be broken and the disease cured. Thousands of cases prove it and every community has its reformed drunkard. Druggist Brown says the right time to stop the drink habit is at its beginning. Left to run its course it will deaden the fine sensibilities of the man you love. Begin with the first whiff of liquor on his breath but do not despair if he has already gone from bad to worse until he has become a rum-soaked sot.

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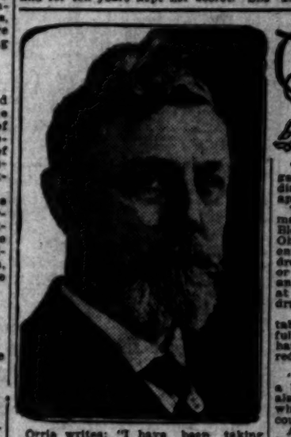
Warning Note: Tuscum should be given only where it is desirable to destroy all taste for alcohol and all pleasure in the use. Those who encourage moderate drinking should not give it until the so-called moderate drinker reaches the danger line, as most of them do in time. Druggist Brown has such confidence in prepared Tuscum Powders that he personally guarantees results or he will refund out of his own pocket the price charged by the dispensing druggist. It is sold in Los Angeles by the Sun Drug Co. and other druggists.



The Doctor's Advice
by Dr. Lewis Baker

The questions answered below are general in character, the symptoms or diseases are given and the answers will apply in any case of similar nature. Those wishing further advice, free, may address Dr. Lewis Baker, College Bldg., College-Elwood streets, Dayton, Ohio, enclosing self-addressed stamped envelope for reply. Full name and address must be given, but only initials or fictitious names will be used in my answers. The prescriptions can be filled at any well-stocked drug store. Any druggist can order of wholesaler.

Orrie writes: "I have been taking salts to purify my blood and cure my skin of itching and pimples, but don't get much benefit. Please prescribe for this."

Answer: I advise three grain sulphurb tablets (not flupur tablets,) composed of sulphur, cream of tartar and vegetable extracts that remove constipation and purify the system. Take this treatment for several months for best results.

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"Patient" writes: "I want your free advice. I seem to have gone all to pieces. I am irritated and annoyed by diary moments, fickle appetite, no strength and life has no pleasures for me any more."

Answer: There are thousands who live too fast and then find themselves in your plight. The nervous vigor has been deranged. A tonic invigorating medicine called three-grain cadomene tablets will afford aid to Nature by supplying more food-energy and give your system a chance to recuperate, when calm nerves should take the place of shattered nerves.

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"Laborer" asks: "I am so affected with painful kidneys that I cannot work regularly. My sleep is disturbed by frequent calls, only to void small amounts and follows burning, smarting pains. Backaches and often have chills and fever, making me real sick for a day."

Answer: A good tonic, soothing and neutralizing medicine for such complaints is balmwort tablets. Try them and continue a few weeks and I am sure you will write me of your recovery.

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Daughter asks: "I suffer greatly owing to too much fat. Can you advise me of a good reduction remedy?"

Answer: Any well stocked pharmacy can supply you with 5 grain arbolene tablets, packed in sealed tubes with full directions for use. These tablets have proven wonderfully effective in reducing abnormal fat.

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"Fern" writes: "I have suffered with a bad cough for some time and I am also weak and tired most of the time, which I think is due to the severe coughing. Can you give me a remedy?"

Answer: Yes, your weakness is due to the coughing, but you should be well relieved by using the following: Get a 2½ oz. package of compound mentho-laxene and make according to directions on the bottle, then take a teaspoonful every hour or two until the cough is cured. This makes a full pint of the very best and safest cough syrup. If your druggist does not have mentholaxene, have him order it for you of the wholesale firm.

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Mrs. M. asks: "My scalp itches terribly, is feverish and a great amount of oily dandruff is present. What is good for this?"

Answer: First shampoo the hair and then apply plain yellow mineyl about once a week as per directions. This relieves the itching, overcomes the dandruff and makes the hair beautifully glossy and vigorous. Obtain in 4 ounce of druggists.

NOTE: For many years Dr. Baker has been giving free advice and prescriptions to millions of people through the press columns, and doubtless has helped in relieving illness and distress more than any single individual in the world's history. Thousands have written him expressions of gratitude and confidence similar to the following:

Dr. Lewis Baker, Dear Sir:—I feel it as a duty to write you. Four years ago my husband had a bad cough and found no relief from all cough medicines we could try. We finally tried the mentholaxene prescription and made it up as cough medicine and it quickly cured him. It also gives me great relief from asthma, from which I suffer in winter time, as you know here in Oregon we have it so rainy instead of snow. I send stamps and coupon for your great "Guide Book, Health and Beauty." Thanking you, I am,
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Stocks and Bonds.

RUSSIAN SITUATION LOAD ON WALL STREET'S BACK.

Trading Restricted and Investment Issues are Under Pressure.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Investment stocks were under persistent pressure during today's more restricted trading, for which foreign conditions, especially the Russian situation, were chiefly accountable.

Pools were less conspicuous and public interest showed a perceptible diminution.

Dealings once more centered in industrials but the trend in these issues was often so conflicting as to defy analysis.

Rails reflected the irregular recent lassitude, moving within fractional limits for the most part. United States Steel's course was typical of that pursued by affiliated equipments, holding slightly above or under final quotations of the previous day until shortly before the close, when prices eased 1 to 2 points all around.

Sales amounted to 740,000 shares.

The late reaction in industrials was the more inexplicable from the fact that trade advices were unusually encouraging. The capacity of the leading iron and steel mills shows a large expansion during the current week, with other lines of manufacture.

Time funds were again quoted at 6 per cent. basis with practically no supply, and most call loans were made at the 6 per cent. basis, last week's drop in excess reserves causing the banks to manifest further caution.

Bonds were irregular. Anglo-French 5's showing firmness, while Paris 6's eased. Liberty issues were less active and variable. Total sales, par value, were $4,120,000. United States old coupons fours lost 1-4 per cent. on call, registered 4's gaining 7-8 per cent. on sales.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 20. Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, February 20, 1918	$ 4,121,000
Same day of week last year	5,200,000
From January 1 to date	160,825,000
Same period in 1917	177,307,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, February 20, 1918	743,119 shares
Same day of week last year	859,200 shares
From January 1 to date	21,822,978 shares
Same period in 1917	26,479,000 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Feb. 20.

Foreign exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4 75¾	4 76 7-16
Paris	7 12⅝	7 10⅜
Hongkong	71.50	71.50
Pekin	110.25	110.50
Shanghai	109.75	109.50
Yokohama	51.50	51.50
Holland	41.75	44.25
Bombay	34.50	34.75
Manila	49.75	49.75
Italy	8.77	8.73½
Kobe	51.75	51.87
Yokohama	51.75	51.87
Manila	49.87	50.00
Russia	18.00	18.25
Sweden	25.12½	25.12½
Copenhagen	23.87½	23.87½
Christiania	21.25	21.37½

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Mercantile paper, 5¼@5¾. Sterling, sixty-day bills, 4.72¾; commercial, sixty-day bills on banks, 4.72; commercial, sight, 4.74¼; demand, 4.75¼; cables, 4.76 7-16. Bar silver, 85 3-8; Mexican dollars, 68. Government and railroad bonds irregular. Time loans, steady; sixty days, ninety days and six months, 6 bid. Call money firm; high, 6; low, 5½; ruling rate, 6; closing bid, 6%; offered at 6; last loan, 6.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations (odds):

	Close—Bid.	Ask.	High.	Low.	Sales.
Alaska	5	6			
Alaska Juneau	7	8			
Allouez	2	3			
Am. Agr. Chem.	58	60			
Am. Beet Sugar	45	46			
Am. Can	35	36			
Am. Can pfd	89	90			
Am. Car & Fdy	87	89			
Am. Car & Fdy pfd	110	112			
Am. Cotton Oil	44	45			
Am. Ice Sec.	30	32			
Am. Linseed	39	41			
Am. Linseed pfd	70	75			
Am. Locomotive	65	67			
Am. Smelting	87	88			
Am. Smelting pfd	100	101			
Am. Steel Fdy	45	47			
Am. Sugar	107	108			
Am. Sugar pfd	110	111			
Am. Tel. & Tel.	97	98			
Am. Tobacco	70	72			
Am. Tobacco pfd	90	92			
Am. Woolen	45	46			
Anaconda	39	40			
Atch., Top. & S. F.	90	91			
Atl. Gulf & W. I.	24	25			
Atl. Gulf & W. I. pfd	70	72			
Baldwin Loco.	72	73			
Baltimore & Ohio	49	50			
Bethlehem Steel B	70	72			
Brooklyn Rapid Tr.	11	12			
Brunswick Co.	5	6			
Butte & Sup.	24	25			
Cal. Petroleum	11	12			
Cal. Petroleum pfd	30	32			
Canadian Pacific	134	135			
Central Leather	58	59			
Central Leather pfd	100	101			
Chandler Motor	110	112			
Chesapeake & Ohio	57	58			
Chicago & Alton	10	11			
Chicago & Alton pfd	30	32			
Chicago Gt. West.	12	13			
Chicago Gt. West. pfd	30	32			
Chicago Mil. & St. P.	45	46			
Chicago Mil. & St. P. pfd	60	61			
Chicago R. I. & P.	20	21			
Chicago R. I. & P. pfd	40	42			
Chicago R. I. & P. Rights	1	1½			
Chino Copper	39	40			
Colorado Fuel & Iron	39	40			
Colorado & Southern	30	31			
Colorado & Southern 1st pfd	50	52			
Colorado & Southern 2d pfd	40	42			
Consolidated Gas	120	121			
Corn Products	30	31			
Corn Products pfd	90	92			
Crucible Steel	70	72			
Cuba Cane Sugar	30	31			
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd	90	92			
Cuba Cane Sugar rights	1	1½			
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Cuba Cane Sugar 2d pfd	80	82

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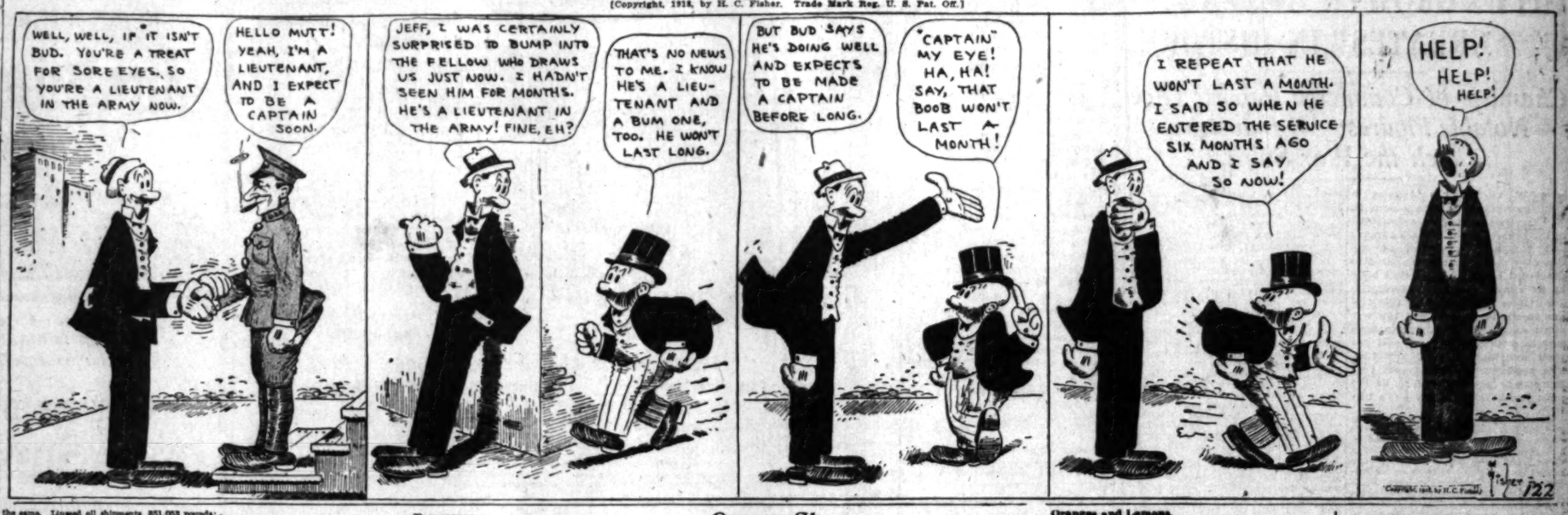

COMMERCIAL.

PRODUCE MARKET.

...ge of Valencia oranges is ...ted 90 per cent. and will be ...ue only in March. Lemons ...e moving normally by that ...h in price, they are well ...ions as high as $5.50 per ...e and juice lemons are ...e than $2. Grape fruit ...ry great demand and are ...$3.50@3.00. Apples are still ...ely and as yet are plenti-

...ket's receipts were as fol-...ases of eggs, 54,700 ...of butter, 25,900 pounds of ...ot sacks of potatoes, 655 ...beans and 2177 boxes of

BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

...ornia extras, Produce Exchange ...7c per pound; price to retail mer-...extras, 46½@50½c per lb.; ...firsts in 1-lb cartons, 50 to ...

...ornia extras, Produce Exchange closing ...c lb.; price to retail merchants, 61 ...Case count, Produce Exchange ...c per doz.; price to retail mer-...ge extras, 51c per doz.; firsts, Ex-...ange, 50 per doz.; price to retail ...42 per doz.

PRICES CURRENT.

...ornia fresh, 38; eastern twins, ...ns, 35; eastern longhorns, 32; ...ge wheel, 42; block Swiss, 34; ...Limburger, 34@35.

...ges—Navels, $3.00@3.25; ...lemons, 4.00; ...Sunkist, extra fancy, 3.00; ...lemons, 1.75.

...Apples—Spitzenberg, Belleflower, $1.65@2.00; ...Red Cheek Pippin, 1.75@2.00; Spitzen-...Jonathan, White Winter Pearmains, 1.50 ...Rhode Island Greenings, Pippins, 1.45@1.75; ...$2.00 box; bananas, 1.00; Winter ...box; 2.75 box.

...Those quotations are for ...ed goods: Artichokes, 90@1.15 ...dozen; asparagus, 2.50 dozen; ...beans, 2.50 dozen; beets, 1.75@2.25 ...dozen; cabbage, 2½; 2.00 sack; red ...onions, 2.25 sack; 90 cents crate; 90 ...chile, 20 ...2.50 box; onions, 25 ...pound; 20 lb.; Telephone peas, ...pound; 20 lb.; rhubarb, ...dozen; spinach, 70@75 ...tomatoes, 2.00 ...

...Turbanis, 1.75@1.85; ...2.00; sweets, 4.50@4.75 ...

...(50 lbs) Pink, No. 1, 9.00; ...small white, 12.00; ...pinks, 9.25; baby ...10.00@11.00; blackeyes, ...lentils, 22.

...Chili—Grapes, 25; Jap chile, ...chile bright, 75 lb.; garlic, 6; ...Mexican onions, 1.50; ...onions, 1.00; ...beans, Sacs, 50c, ½c ...peaches, choice, 12; fancy, ...hearts, 25; oranges ...3.00@4.25; 50-80s, 2.50; ...Pico, 50-80s, 1.75; 70-80s, 1.50; ...

...(50 lbs) DATES Sun Maid, 48 ...Thompson seedless, 48 10-oz., 3.50; ...vineyard run, 50-lb. ...2.50; 25-lb. clusters, ...Sultanas, 3.00; Seedless, 1.85; ...1.00; 50-lb. loose Mus-...50; 25-lb. bags, 25-lb. boxes, 1.65; Imperial Sun Ripe, 1.65; ...

...(50 lbs) Soft shell, 24; No Plus ...22; pecans, large, 29 ...(25 lbs) walnuts Ama-...27; pine, 23 lbs.

...(50 lbs) Extra fancy head, Cara-...fancy head, 8.25@ ...7.00@8.00; ...7.00; Mexican, 7.75; ...8.75; bolson, 5.00@ ...Mexican mammoths, 45.00 ...

...prices for fire ...the cars with ...grain fed, 125 to ...to 175 lbs, 18.00; ...to 200 lbs, 17.50; ...on foot, 2c ...8.50; grass fed, ...fair, 7.00@7.50; ...Bulls and stags, ...cows and heifers, 6.75@8.15; canners, 4.25@6.25; ...6.50@8.00; calves, 9.50@12.00; stockers ...and feeder steers, 6.00@9.00. Hogs, steady, re-...250 pounds, light, 18.45@18.90; ...heavy, 18.40@18.55; pigs, 14.50@15.00; bulk of ...sales, 16.25@16.50. Sheep steady; receipts nom-...inal; western lambs, 15.00@15.50; valley lambs, ...14.50@15.00; yearlings, 12.00@13.50; wethers, ...12.50@13.00; ewes, 9.00@11.00.

...KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—Hogs, receipts 15,000; ...higher; bulk, 6.75@17.00; heavy, 16.90@17.05; ...packers and butchers, 16.45@17.05; light, 16.75 ...@17.00; pigs, 13.00@15.75. Cattle, receipts 11,-...000, strong; prime fed steers, 12.50@13.75; ...dressed beef steers, 10.60@12.85; western steers, ...9.50@12.50; cows, 7.00@10.75; heifers, 7.50@ ...11.75; stockers and feeders, 7.50@12.00; bulls, ...7.25@10.25; calves, 7.00@12.00.

BUTTER AND EGGS: LATEST QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Butter, easy; receipts, 11,333. Creamery, higher than extras, 51¼@52; creamery extras, 92 score, 51; firsts, 48¾@50½; seconds, 48¼@48. Eggs, firm; receipts, 37,113. Fresh gathered extras, 65¾; extra firsts, 62¼@63; firsts, 62; seconds, 61@61½. Cheese, steady; receipts, 4003. State held specials, 26@ 29½; do., average run, 25¼@26.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Butter, steady; creamery, 44@49. Eggs, higher; receipts, 1178 cases. Firsts, 51; ordinary firsts, 49@50; at mark, cases included, 49@51.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Butter, extras, 51½. Eggs, fresh extras, 43½; firsts, 42½; fresh extra pullets, 42.

LIVE-STOCK MARKET AT VARIOUS CENTERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20. — Hogs, receipts 27,000, strong, 15 above yesterday's average; bulk, 16.70 @16.90; light, 16.45@17.00; mixed, 16.45@ 17.00; heavy, 16.20@16.90; rough, 16.20@16.35; pigs, 12.50@15.00. Cattle, receipts 4000, strong; native steers, 8.60@13.00; stockers and feeders, 7.40@10.80; cows and heifers, 6.50@11.75; calves, 9.50@12.00. Sheep, steady; receipts, 20,000; sheep, 10.00@13.20; lambs, 13.50@16.00.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 20.—Cattle, steady extra hay-fed choice steers, which are 50 cents lower; receipts, 93; medium to choice steers, 10.55@11.00; good to medium steers, 9.35@ 10.25; choice to good steers, 8.00@9.40; choice cows and heifers, 8.00@10.00; common to good cows and heifers, 6.75@8.15; canners, 4.25@6.25; bulls, 5.00@8.00; calves, 8.50@12.00; stockers and feeder steers, 6.00@9.00. Hogs, steady, receipts 250 pounds, light, 18.45@18.90; prime heavy, 16.40@16.55; pigs, 14.50@15.00; bulk of sales, 16.25@16.50. Sheep steady; receipts nominal; western lambs, 15.00@15.50; valley lambs, 14.50@15.00; yearlings, 12.00@13.50; wethers, 12.50@13.00; ewes, 9.00@11.00.

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MINING QUOTATIONS IN SALT LAKE CITY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SALT LAKE, Feb. 20.—Closing quotations on local exchange today:

	Close		Close
Alta Mich.	.05	Orig. Bassack.	.03½
Antelope Blue	.06	Ohio Copper	.90
Alta Con.	.22	Prince Con.	.54
Bingham Con.	.50	Rio Wellington	.04
Colorado Con.	.09	Bells	.10½
Cardiff	4.00	S. K. Coal	2.70
Daly	2.00	S. L. Silver	.43
Dragon	.25	South Hecla	.74
Empire Mines	.25	South Park	.07
Eureka Hills	.10	Tecoma	.29
Grand Central	.25	Texas	.12
Hewett	.14	Tintic Central	.03
Iron Blossom	.10	Tintic Standard	1.47½
Iron King	.17½	Tintic Drain T.	1.50
Judge M. & S.	7.00	Wilbert	.01
Michigan, Utah	.15	West Telephone	.06½
New Quincy	.10	Walker Mining	1.85
O. K. Silver	.04		

SHIPPING.

PORT OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20.

Steamer Fred Baxter, Capt. Halvorsen, from Puget Sound.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20.

Steamer Queen, Capt. Tarper, for Seattle, via San Francisco.

Steamer Vanguard, Capt. Odland, for Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Brunswick, Capt. Wahlgren, for Port Ludlow.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From.	Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Feb. 21	San Francisco	Yale	Pacific	11:00 a.m.
Feb. 21	San Diego	Yale	Pacific	7:00 a.m.
Feb. 22	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & P.	Pacific	12:00 m.
Feb. 23	Seattle	Adm. Dewey	Pacific	4:00 p.m.
Feb. 24	San Francisco	Yale	Pacific	11:00 a.m.
Feb. 25	San Diego	Yale	Pacific	7:00 a.m.
Feb. 26	Seattle	Adm. Schley	Pacific	4:00 p.m.

TO DEPART.

Date.	For.	Steamer.	Line.	Time.
Feb. 21	San Diego	Yale	Pacific	2:00 p.m.
Feb. 21	San Francisco	Yale	Pacific	12:00 m.
Feb. 24	Seattle	Adm. Dewey	Pacific	12:00 m.
Feb. 24	San Diego	Yale	Pacific	2:00 p.m.
Feb. 25	San Francisco	Yale	Pacific	12:00 m.
Feb. 27	Seattle	Adm. Schley	Pacific	12:00 m.

WHERE PASSENGER STEAMERS DOCK.

Pacific Steamship Company steamers leave Pier A, Wilmington, for San Diego, San Francisco and Seattle. San Francisco and Portland Steamship Company steamers leave Southern Pacific wharf, San Pedro, for San Francisco and Portland.

Steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports further north.

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamer leaves San Pedro for Catalina Island at 10 o'clock a.m. daily, arriving at Avalon at 12:15 p.m. Returning, steamer leaves Avalon at 2:15 p.m., arriving at San Pedro at 5:45 p.m.

Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays.

IN PORT.

Mitchship May, L. W. S. L. Co.
Steamer Fred Baxter, outer harbor.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Mandalay, Crescent City, loading.
Steamer Helene, Gray's Harbor, sailed Feb. 16.
Steamer Multnomah, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer San Jacinto, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Wapama, Portland, loading.
Steamer E. H. Meyer, Everett, loading.
Steamer Celilo, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Horace E. Baxter, Puget Sound, loading.
Steamer Gertie Mahoney, Albion, loading.
Steamer Flavel, Astoria, loading.
Steamer Gaviam, Astoria, loading.
Steamer Willamette, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Klamath, Portland, loading.
Steamer Arabia, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Port Angeles, Puget Sound, sailed Feb. 19.
Steamer Santa Barbara, Portland, sailed Feb. 17.
Steamer D. G. Scofield, Puget Sound, sailed Feb. 16.

TIDE TABLE.

		Low.	High.	Low.	High.
Thursday,	Feb. 21	12:24	6:21	1:26	7:54
		1.7	5.5	0.3	4.0
Friday,	Feb. 22	1:12	7:06	2:12	8:19
		2.9	5.7	0.4	4.3
Saturday,	Feb. 23	7:50	1:43	2:40	8:42
		1.6	5.8	0.4	4.5
Sunday,	Feb. 24	2:22	8:19	3:05	9:06
		1.4	5.7	0.5	4.7
Monday,	Feb. 25	2:54	8:51	3:27	9:29
		1.3	5.6	0.6	4.8

NOTE—In the above tabulation of tides the daily times are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring on the following morning. Comparison will show the high and low...

Tomorrow.

CAMP KEARNY READY FOR GRAND MILITARY REVIEW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMP KEARNY, Feb. 20. — Southern California's great military show, the review of the Fortieth Division by Maj.-Gen. Frederick I. Strong and several hundred representatives of five States whose National Guard are in training here, will be staged Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, rain or shine. Elaborate plans have been made by the military authorities to care for the thousands of visitors who are expected from all over California and the other four States. With military precision, each detail of the vast review has been figured out ahead of time and if radiant sunshine does not glisten from the marching columns of bayonets, at least the sturdy manhood of five Western States will win the hearts of the thousands who already have made arrangements to witness the big spectacle.

All the units of the Sunshine Division will parade in regiments in battalion formation, full strength, except for necessary guard and "kitchen police;" rifles, cartridge belts and other equipment will be worn. Gen. Strong announced that following the review the men will be given liberty until midnight of Friday, reporting back for morning duty Saturday and being again at liberty Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

Judging from the formations it is expected that the troops will take from one and a half to two hours to pass the reviewing stand and if the men marched single file it would take weeks and weeks. Those mothers who have been wondering what their boy is doing at Camp Kearny will be given an opportunity in witnessing the spectacle, which will not only be a demonstration of the whole division strength, but of each individual Sammy.

While marching will be in lines of battalions, the formation of the parade will be by brigades and trains, with the student officers of the third officers' training school, commanded by Capt. Wallace C. Philoon, aide-de-camp to Gen. Strong, leading the entire division. These officers have been getting some stiff drill, together with simulated battle practice, and should present an excellent appearance. The units will then come as follows:

Eighteith Brigade, Brig.-Gen. Herman Hall, commanding.

Seventy-ninth Brigade, Brig.-Gen. Alexander M. Tuthill, commanding.

One Hundred and Forty-third Machine Gun Battalion, Maj. Arthur Ball, commanding.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Engineers, Col. George B. Pillsbury, commanding.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Field Signal Battalion, Maj. Robert C. Vickers, commanding.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Supply Train, Maj. John A. Martin, commanding.

Sixty-fifth Artillery Brigade, Brig.-Gen. L. S. Lyon, commanding.

Trains, Col. Edmund I. Abbott, commanding.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Train Headquarters and military police.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Ammunition Train.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Engineer Train.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Sanitary Train.

Grouped brigade, regimental and battalion field trains.

Motor Truck Company No. 354.

In the review will appear four California regiments, all originating out of National Guard organizations, and two other separate battalions and one train, the One Hundred and Fifteenth Sanitary Train. Two field artilleries, the One Hundred and Forty-third and the One Hundred and Forty-fourth, the Grizzlies, are from California, and the One Hundred and Sixtieth (old Seventh of Los Angeles) and the One Hundred and Forty-ninth (old Fifth) are the regiments. The One Hundred and Forty-fifth Machine-gun Battalion and the One Hundred and Fifteenth Field Signal Battalion are California units.

Orders for the various formations were issued today, designating the order and line of march. Autos will be allowed to enter the cantonment at 1 o'clock and the Santa Fe will run two trains of fourteen cars each from San Diego, carrying 2300 people. Extra stages will be in operation. The trains from San Diego will leave at 1:15 and 1:20 o'clock and will arrive in plenty of time for the review. If sufficient travel is in evidence, an extra section will follow the train which leaves Los Angeles at 9:15 o'clock in the morning and arrives at camp at 12:30 o'clock. This extra section would leave about five minutes later, it was said.

Gov. William D. Stephens wired the authorities here today that he would be unable to be present owing to arrangements for another Washington Birthday celebration. Gov. George W. P. Hunt of Arizona wired that he, his staff, and State officers to the number of ten will leave Phoenix Thursday to witness the review.

Bares Shame.

(Continued from Fifth Page.)

About forty girls working. I am told they are all making money. There are forty saloons, all doing a big business. They don't bother the girls up here. Somebody told me there are fifteen girls working in a small town near here, all of 'Bertha's class.'"

Writing from Sacramento on March 26, 1917, he says: "I am getting all the booze out of my system and feel fine now. I miss you a whole lot and wish you were here."

A telegram sent to the defendant from San Rafael, Cal., September 9, 1917 reads: "Tell Joe did not need six-timer." It was signed "Henry Long."

CROSS EXAMINATION.

At the afternoon session Miss Edwards, much refreshed from the noon recess, again took the stand under cross-examination by Deputy District Attorney Asa Keyes. She was questioned regarding the name "Edwards," and replied that that was an assumed name.

She declared she was 18 when she was married to McKellup and did not keep company with Lyon until after her marriage, although she had met him frequently before this event. She admitted that she kept her husband in ignorance of her liaison with Lyon but that he subsequently discovered the truth and following a quarrel, he left the house at No. 717 Kohler street and ultimately secured a divorce.

"Were you not engaged in the sporting life, up to that time," she was questioned.

"Not until two months after my husband left me, when I went into it at the behest of Senator Lyon," she replied.

She asserted that Lyon got her an apartment in order for her to carry on her new vocation. Lyon, at that time, had Apartment No. 12, at No. 950 Stanford avenue, she said. She went there to sleep at night, she asserted.

"Did you not make objections to entering this life"

"I did at first."

Later on, she testified, she herself became a "madame" of a house located at No. 520½ East Ninth street, from which she moved after three weeks to No. 1226½ East Eighth street. In January, 1917, she was compelled to depart from this place of residence and she then established herself at No. 1229½ South Figueroa street, where she remained about one year. Lyon, she asserted, was a daily visitor at the "sporting house" to which he came to receive money from her.

DENIES PREMEDITATION.

"Is it not a fact, Miss Edwards, that you continuously pursued Mr. Lyon with the deliberate intention of shooting him?"

"I did pursue him, for I had grown to love him, but I absolutely never had any intention of shooting him."

"How much money did Mr. Lyon receive during his visits to you?"

"Sometimes $50 a night, at other times as high as $300."

"Did you never threaten to sul him?"

"I did not."

"Why was Mr. Lyon angry at the thought of your going with a police lieutenant?"

"He was angry because he thought I was not getting any money out of a police officer."

She acknowledged she had been placed under arrest eleven times as a result of her "sporting life" ventures, but added that Lyon put up the bail money and succeeded in having the cases dismissed. On the day of the shooting, she testified, she had taken three grains of heroin and two glasses of whisky.

Miss Josephine Williams, friend and companion of Miss Edwards, followed the defendant on the stand and corroborated her testimony in regard to the financial matters between the defendant and Senator Lyon. She declared she heard Lyon propose marriage to Miss Edwards. She testified concerning Miss Edwards's condition both before and after the shooting, adding that the defendant, following the shooting, had rushed to the home of Jessie Elliott, No. 810 Francisco street, in a highly hysterical condition.

Miss Williams, cross-examined, said Lyon offered the Japanese "sporting-house" proposition to both her and Miss Edwards. She said she was 18 when she entered that life.

"Did you object to it?" she was asked.

"Yes."

"But you went into it, nevertheless?"

"Yes."

Miss Williams was followed by Mrs. Ida Paden, sister of Miss Edwards. She described the excited condition of the defendant following the shooting affray. Miss Jessie Elliott then took the stand and gave similar testimony. She was followed by Jack Kobac, a taxi driver, who took Miss Edwards from the house of Miss Elliott to the home of her sister. Florence Moore, a friend of Miss Edwards, also told of the condition of the defendant shortly after Senator Lyon was shot.

Orange Show.

(Continued from Second Page.)

2:30 p.m.—Concert in fruit tent by Claremont Municipal Band.
3 p.m.—Free attraction on Midway.
3:30 p.m.—Vaudeville and musical entertainment, fruit department.
7:30 p.m.—Concert by Claremont band.
8 p.m.—Presentation of "Spirit of Democracy."
8:30 p.m.—Free vaudeville in fruit department.
9:30 p.m.—The De Garros free show on Midway.

MAID IN A TANGLE OF COURT ACTIONS.

DIVORCE WITNESS AND SEEKS TO PREVENT FORECLOSURE ON HER HOME.

Unusual features cropped out in the suit of Clara Akeley Smith against Daniel H. and Nora Boykin to foreclose a mortgage on the property of the Boykins, on trial before Judge Valentine yesterday. Nora Boykin, colored, it seems, was a maid in the Smith household. She had given a promissory note for $1100 which had not been paid. In a cross-complaint she alleged that there had been no set wages and that the various sums earned by Mrs. Boykin were to be credited against the note. Mrs. Smith denied this. Judge Valentine will decide the case this morning. He held that Mrs. Boykin had rendered some services, but that other services had been eliminated by the statutes of limitation.

It developed that Mrs. Boykin is the principal witness for Dr. Wilbourne Smith in his suit for divorce. It also developed that Miss Jennie Rapier, a witness for Mrs. Boykin, is the third leg of the triangle in the divorce proceedings. Miss Rapier testified that she had listened in on a telephone conversation between Mrs. Boykin and Mrs. Smith, Dr. Smith also being at an extension phone.

Mrs. Boykin asked Mrs. Smith over the telephone if she had not always been nice to her and wanted to know when she was going to pay her for all she did for her, saying Mrs. Smith had agreed to apply the wages on the mortgage.

"I haven't told Dr. Smith about Ed Whitehead and Feasel," Mrs. Boykin was alleged to have said. Mrs. Smith's reply to the latter statement was:

"I don't give a — what you tell Dr. Smith."

Judge Valentine's comment on the case was that "Miss Rapier is simply a detective hired for the purpose by Dr. Smith to investigate Mrs. Smith." The court thought there was considerable feeling and bias in the premises. Dr. Smith, he said, exhibited similar feeling on the stand.

"It all impresses the court that there is considerable animosity between the Smiths growing out of this divorce proceeding," he concluded. Ward Chapman represented Mrs. Smith.

Oranges and Lemons.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

	Oranges.	Lemons.
February 19	21	11
Total to date this season	3,998	948
Total to same date last season	7,880	1,641

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA.

February 18	1	1
Total to date this season	1,807	102
Total to same date last season	4,017	152

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

Total to date this season	202	0
Total to same date last season	842	0

NEW YORK MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Five cars sold. Market is higher. Partly cloudy.

NAVELS—	Arge	NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	TANGERINES—	
Vista Bonita,	Sbr.	$4.00	Redondo, ORx	4.35	Mesquite, ACEx.	3.20	Hales.
Lake Homet,	Sbr.	3.60	Cardinal, ORx	3.85	T. R. Rose, TR.	3.40	Vista Bonita, Sbr. 3.10
Whittier,	STx	4.95	Glen. Alps, ACEx.	6.35	T. R. Red, TR.	4.65	Glen. Alps, ACEx. 3.20
Pico,	STx	4.65	Glen. Home, ACG	5.50			

BOSTON MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—Six cars navels, one car Valencias, one car lemons sold. Market is doing better on oranges, unchanged on lemons.

NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	VALENCIAS—	Arge.
Silver Gate,	ELC.	$4.75	Gold Buckle,	RRx	3.70	Native, SPCo	2.50
Retsdeer,	ELC	3.85	C. Ranner, SPCo.		4.50	Stangeler	2.55
Rex,	STx	5.20	C. Ranner, SPCo.		3.65	Sangster	2.15
Thief,	STx	4.70	Native, SPCo		2.50	VALENCIAS—	Arge.
Ranchito,	STx	4.30				La Vista, ORx	4.85

LEMONS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.
Silver Gate,	$4.75	Native, SPCo	2.50	Hill,	ORx	3.10	
Retsdeer,	ELC	3.85	C. Ranner, SPCo.	4.50	Stangeler	2.55	Talbot, STx	2.20
Rex,	STx	5.20	C. Ranner, SPCo.	3.65	Sangster	2.15	LEMONS—	Arge.
Thief,	STx	4.70	Native, SPCo	2.50	VALENCIAS—	Arge.	Pet,	SDx	3.95
Ranchito,	STx	4.30			La Vista, ORx	4.85	Greyhound	1.30

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20.—Two cars sold. Market is steady on navels, strong on lemons.

NAVELS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.
Orca,	STx	$4.90	Mockingbird,	JMcI	6.35	Good Otter,	6.00	Rainey	7.15
Sunrise,	JMcI	4.55	Revenue		6.55	Windermere,	STx	7.50	Joy	6.95

CLEVELAND MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND, Feb. 20.—Three cars sold. Market is higher on oranges, lower on lemons.

NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.	LEMONS—	Arge.
Mark,	AFD	$4.15	Red Star,	RMCo.	2.70	Pet,	SDx	7.05	Pup	6.50
Jupiter,	AFD	2.00	Whittier,	SDx	5.15	Arab	6.95	Duck	5.35
Bulldog,	RMCo	3.90	Pico,	STx	4.65				

PHILADELPHIA MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—One car sold. Market is unchanged.

NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	SEEDLINGS—	Arge.
Clayburn,	CPrus	$2.70	Clayburn,	CPrus	2.45	Robin	1.50	Robin	1.85
Perfection,	HOGA	2.55	Perfection,	HOGA	1.75				

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 20.—Two cars navels sold. Market is very steady.

NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.	NAVELS—	Arge.
Crafton,	Red,	RRx	$4.50	Lenzer,	RRx	4.30	Golden Circle,	RH	2.85	Hector,	RHx	1.65
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CITY'S GROWTH IN YEAR GREATEST IN HISTORY.

Chamber of Commerce Reports Give Notable Figures; All Industries Catch the War Spirit.

HOW rapidly Los Angeles is growing is strikingly seen in reviews and statistics contained in the reports of the various bureaus and committee chairmen of the Chamber of Commerce submitted to the board of directors of that body at its annual meeting yesterday.

All lines of industry in this city are shown to have caught the war spirit during the year and to have increased production and enlarged their activities in every direction. The prospects for the present year industrially are declared to be the most encouraging in the city's history.

During the past year more than $12,000,000 has been added to the city's industrial capital, acording to the report of the Industrial Bureau. Over 12,000 additional workers were added to various enterprises, including car shops, steel foundries, knitting mills, fish canneries, auto-truck, farm tractor and airplane factories. Contracts aggregating $52,000,000 in shipbuilding alone have been made or are pending.

CHEMICAL INDUSTRY.

The birth of a new chemical industry here, which, it is expected, will attain to great proportions, is touched upon. "Authorities declare," the Industrial Bureau's report states, "that there are few if any of the chemicals heretofore imported from Europe that cannot be manufactured in Los Angeles from the raw materials of this region. America's greatest potash plant has been placed in operation at the Harbor."

During the year there were constructed fifty-five new factory buildings and thirty-five established concerns built additions. In the same period, 175 new manufacturing industries were established.

The report of the Trade Extension Bureau tells of active efforts made to improve facilities from Los Angeles harbor, particularly to west coast points, which were productive of good results. Probably the most effective work of the bureau during the year was assisting Los Angeles firms to obtain an increased volume of government business. Prior to the establishment of a depot quartermaster here the bureau acted as intermediary between the government and local supply firms.

TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

Special attention has been paid to bringing before manufacturers and jobbers trade opportunities in the markets best reached through Los Angeles harbor. Direct shipping from Australian ports to Los Angeles was developed during the year through the efforts of the bureau.

An entire issue of Los Vecinos, a trade magazine circulated through the Latin American countries was taken over and complete data on Los Angeles as a trade center was provided in a special edition reaching thousands of leading citizens of the Latin American countries, in addition to the regular subscription list.

What the Publicity Committee has done for the city is thus summarized:

"Descriptive literature numbering 700,815 pieces were sent to different parts of the United States and the world. Feature stories of Southern California activities numbering 266 and forty-two magazine articles illustrated with 663 photographs were sent out during the year.

PUBLICITY MATERIAL.

Twelve news syndicates supplying hundreds of newspapers were supplied with forty-five stories and 165 photographs. Vast quantities of material were furnished special writers who visited the Chamber. Items regarding eastern visitors to the Chamber and describing its exhibit were sent to 2153 papers.

The Harbor Committee, of which R. W. Burnham is chairman, had a busy year, notably in the work of obtaining a submarine base, widening the harbor channel and general development of the harbor. The assurance of a fire boat and coaling station are reported.

The Military and Naval Affairs Committee was kept steadily on the job. In the report of Capt. J. D. Fredericks, chairman, its activities includes working for a State appropriation fund for defense purposes, survey's for military cantonment, base hospital, balloon training camp and aviation site. The committee worked on the camp recreation fund, American ambulance corps recruiting, naval reserve training station, ambulance corps and navigation school.

HELPING COMMERCE.

The Commerce Committee, of which S. L. Weaver is chairman, devoted its chief energies to the safeguarding of commerce, development of the kelp industry, protecting of shipping and the further development of the free port plan for Los Angeles harbor.

The Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, under the chairmanship of F. Q. Story, gave valuable aid in the organization of the Los Angeles County Farm Bureau, the food conservation campaign, and is working hard to obtain a farming school at Riverside.

The Committee on Immigration, of which Andrew J. Copp, Jr., is chairman, devoted much of its time to agricultural labor conditions and the proposed legislation permitting the admittance of Oriental and Mexican labor. A questionnaire sent to employers by the chamber revealed that sentiment was divided among them as to the advisability of letting down the bars for alien labor.

NATIONAL SERVICES.

Some of the more important national services mentioned in the report of the secretary are: Participation in the Red Cross movement, providing public farewells for men going to the front, providing more than twenty office rooms in the chamber building for war-born organizations, the Liberty Loan campaign, assisting the depot quartermaster, securing of the aviation school site at Riverside, obtained an embargo on steel scrap, helped bring about an increase in pay for army and navy men, took part in the campaign for universal military training, furnished cots and blankets to recruited men whose equipment was delayed, successfully urged the closing of schools to aid in harvesting the fruit crop, assisted the government free navigation school and maintained a recruiting office at the chamber, aided in Belgian relief work and took part in every constructive, patriotic movement of the year.

Other movements for community benefit in which the chamber participated included a home products campaign under the direction of Mrs. Anna L. Bancroft, who carried the buy-at-home argument personally to ninety-three women's clubs, eighty-two public schools, to the various departments of the city and county, to civic organizations, and to the larger mercantile establishments. More than 70,000 booklets, "What Women Buy and Who Makes It," were discriminately distributed.

IN THE TREASURY.

The treasurer's report showed the receipts of the chamber for the year were $90,518.53, and the disbursements $75,774.36, leaving a balance on hand of $14,994.17.

The new officers of the chamber, elected on January 9, will assume their duties at the next directors' meeting, on February 27. The formal ceremony of turning over the gavel by President L. D. Sale to President-elect Oscar C. Mueller will take place, however, at the annual banquet at the Alexandria tomorrow evening.

The new officers are: President, Oscar C. Mueller; first vice-president, Watt L. Moreland; second vice-president, Maynard McFie; treasurer, William Mead; chairman Committee on Commerce, L. D. Sale; chairman Committee on Agriculture and Horticulture, F. Q. Story; chairman Committee on Manufacturing, Sylvester L. Weaver; chairman Committee on Mercantile Affairs, W. A. Barker; chairman Committee on Mining, Robert N. Bulla; chairman Committee on Transportation, H. W. Frank; chairman Committee on Laws, Edward D. Lyman; chairman Committee on Publications and Statistics, D. F. McGarry; chairman Committee on County and Municipal Affairs, R. W. Pridham; chairman, Committee on Hotels, Robert Wankowski; chairman Committee on Finances and Auditing, W. D. Longyear; chairman Committee on Building and Permanent Exhibit, J. M. Schneider; chairman Committee on Immigration, Andrew J. Copp, Jr.; chairman Committee on Boulevards, Parks and Roads, Ralph C. Hamlin; chairman Committee on Expositions, Shannon Crandall; chairman Committee on Membership and Grievances, Chester W. Thompson.

CONFISCATE WOMAN'S WEARING APPAREL.

OTHER GOODS ALSO SEIZED BY CUSTOMS MEN AS NOT IN SHIP'S MANIFEST.

When the steamer Fairhaven, plying between San Francisco and Mexican ports put into the harbor a few days ago, it became known yesterday, there was discovered in her cargo seven boxes of valuable merchandise, mostly women's wearing apparel.

No export license had been secured on the contents of four of the boxes, and the other three had not been declared in the manifest of the vessel, it is said, so the goods were seized by Collector of Customs Elliott, and the matter reported to United States District Attorney O'Connor.

The master of the vessel, A. L. Laur, is subject to a penalty of two years imprisonment and a fine of $10,000, if convicted, for exporting goods without a license, and to a fine of $500 and a prosecution for perjury for making a false statement as to the manifest of the ship. The Fairhaven is now in Mexican waters, but the goods are being held.

Under the privisions of the proclamation of President Wilson as to permits to be issued for the importation of articles, which went into effect last Saturday, Collector Elliott is charged with the duty of issuing licenses on shipments of $100 or less, but all other permits must be taken out before the War Trade Board, whose representative, William Dunkerley, has an office on the sixth floor of the International Bank Building.

SENT TO IONE.

Robbery and Hold-up Confession Intervene to Keep Lad's Name Being Erased from Rolls.

The name of William R. Dunn, one of the so-called boy bandits, would have been stricken off the records of the Juvenile Court yesterday if the slaying of Philip J. Metz, a grocer, had not been followed by his arrest.

A year ago, Dunn, who is now 17 years old, was brought into court charged with being incorrigible, but Judge Reeve consented to having him enlist in the army. The reports, until he deserted, indicated that he was making good.

Yesterday the court sentenced him to the State School at Ione until he is 21 years old. He is then to be returned to the Juvenile Court for further disposition. Yesterday the lad confessed to his desertion from the army at Camp Kearny, as well as to the theft of many automobiles by members of his gang and the hold-up of three persons in one night.

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SAYS RAYNER IS OUT OF IT.

Laconic Comment by Capt. Shaw on Case of Removed British Recruiter.

The Times is in receipt of the following communication from Capt. Walter Shaw, head of the local bureau of the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission:

Los Angeles, Feb. 20, 1918.

To the Editor of The Times:

As your columns under today's date contain a long account of Sergt. Rayner's supposed harsh treatment at the hands of my authorities, I would ask you to be good enough to publish the fact that the Canadian authorities have ordered him to return to Canada and report there and that he has now no connection whatever with the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission.

Yours truly,
[Signed.]
WALTER SHAW,
Captain.

MUSHET SEEKS WRIT.

Files Petition as Taxpayer for Permission to Inspect Books of Public Service Body.

W. C. Mushet, as a taxpayer, filed a petition for a writ of mandate yesterday to compel the Board of Public Service Commissioners to allow him to inspect the books of the commission. The suit follows the action of the commission on Tuesday, at which time, Mr. Mushet, who is a former City Auditor, was refused this permission.

A resolution was passed by the commission which set out that the inspection of the books is for the benefit of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company. This Mr. Mushet emphatically denies.

In Judge Jackson's court the application of the city for a temporary injunction restraining the gas company from interfering with the city's meters, was denied without prejudice. This means that the case will go to trial on its merits.

TO CHOOSE OFFICIAL.

New President of Public Service Commission will be Elected on Next Tuesday.

A new president for the Public Service Commission will be chosen at the next meeting of the board on Tuesday, according to an announcement made by President Del Valle.

President Del Valle's term of office expired yesterday, but in accordance with the provisions of the city charter he will hold office until his successor is elected.

At the meeting held Tuesday, President Del Valle made the announcement that the new president will be elected at the next regular meeting of the board, which, because Friday is a holiday, will be held next Tuesday.

PIONEER VINEYARDIST LEAVES LARGE ESTATE.

The will of Herman Boettcher, disposing of an estate valued at $102,000, was filed for probate yesterday. Mr. Boettcher, who died last Wednesday, gives the home place at No. 705 East Thirty-second street and one-third of the residue estate to the widow, Alvine Boettcher, and divides the remainder among four children. The deceased was a pioneer vineyardist.

RECEPTION FOR GIBSON.

Public to be Given Chance to Meet Man Who Passed Through Strife in Belgium.

A public reception will be given to Hugh Gibson Saturday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock at the Alexandria Hotel. Mr. Gibson was to have arrived yesterday from the East, but his train was delayed and he will not get here until today. He will remain until Sunday when he will return to Washington. He will address the Friday Morning Club tomorrow morning, but this meeting will be for members only.

At the Friday Morning Club the following have been assigned places on the platform with Mr. Gibson: Mayor Woodman, Oscar Mueller, L. D. Sale, Frank Wiggins, Harry Chandler, Harry Andrews, Max Ihmsen, E. T. Earl, Harley Brundige, Guy Barham, B. Holmes, C. White Mortimer, O. Oyama, Louis Sentous, C. H. Winsel, G. Piuma, Frank P. Flint, Carl Rosenberg, Louis Mayers, E. G. Bartlett, Charles H. Langmuir, J. M. Elliott, J. O. Koepfli, W. J. Washburn, Henry O'Melveny, Dr. Albert Shiels, Donald Dickie, Dr. E. C. Moore, Dr. Jesse Millspaugh, Dr. Andrew Stewart Lobingier, Lucien Brunswig, Dr. J. R. Haynes, Clifford Howard, Dr. Silas Evans, Dr. A. B. Scherer, Dr. George Bovard, Gurney Newlin, Louis M. Cole and Capt. Walter Shaw.

Capt. Shaw will be the speaker at the luncheon which will follow the reception at the Friday Morning Club.

At the reception at the Alexandria, which will be a public affair, the following committee will have charge: Mrs. D. G. Stephens, Mrs. Margaret J. Frick, Mrs. A. C. Billicke, J. W. Elliott, William G. Kerckhoff, Dr. Walter Lindley, Dr. Le Moyne Wills, Dr. John R. Haynes, R. W. Poindexter, Willoughby Rodman, William F. Marshall, C. C. Parker, George S. Greene, Charles E. Winsel and Dean E. C. Norbou.

RETAIN FORESTER AS PRO-GERMAN.

A Presidential warrant for the detention of H. F. Sexauer, former City Forester of Santa Barbara, was received by Special Agent Keep of the Department of Justice, yesterday, by wire from Washington. The testimony against him, involving pro-German activities, will be sent to Washington for review by the authorities.

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Husband Left Same Day that Wife Disappeared.

A remarkable letter was offered as a will in the Probate Court yesterday. It told the story of a woman's misery and her intention to end it all. In this letter she disposed of her property to her brothers and sisters.

The letter was written by Mrs. Amelia Lemoine Alleud, wife of Henry Alleud of Redondo Beach, under date of November 19, 1917. On that date she is believed to have jumped into the sea, as her body or what was believed to have been her body, was observed floating past the pier. At that time there were signs of life in it, a witness testified yesterday.

The evidence also showed that Henry Alleud left home the same date that his wife jumped into the sea and has not been seen since. However, he is not charged in any way with the death of his wife. Her letter, however, sheds some light on her unhappy domestic life.

"Dear Brother," the letter is addressed, "forgive me for the act I am about to do, but I cannot stand this life any longer. When I would go to Los Angeles I would be so tired under the condition I am in, and he (Mr. Alleud) would accuse me of being drunk as he did again this evening when I came home.

"I send you my bank book. Take $300 of it and divide it with Louis (a brother). All the rest save for me, as I know I will need all the prayers I can get. Pick out what things you want; also Louis, and sell the rest. Margaret is too extravagant and I think the less she has the better off she is. She would be better not to take anything that belongs to me, as it will bring her bad luck. If dear Philibert and Milton need some clothes buy them for them. If they find my body see if I can be buried from St. Joseph's Church."

TO END LONG MARRIAGE.

Whittier Woman Brings Suit for Divorce After Eighteen Years, on Ground of Cruelty.

Mrs. Victoria Meyer, residing at Whittier, filed suit for divorce against Camille Meyer yesterday. Mr. Meyer is a wealthy sheep rancher of Washington State, and he is alleged to have treated his wife cruelly.

The divorce action comes after eighteen years of married life. Community property valued at $100,000 is represented in the suit.

SIMPLIFY ACTION.

In the action brought by Elizabeth Knudsen to recover damages in $75,000 from the Domestic Utilities Manufacturing Company, for alleged false pretenses and fraud, United States District Judge Trippet yesterday granted non-suits as to F. W. Sterling, W. P. Ellis and Mrs. Louise E. Crooker, and took under advisement the question of non-suiting as to other defendants. The defense is now proceeding in behalf of Edwin L. Crooker and the Domestic Utilities Manufacturing Company. Harry L. Crooker, another one of the defendants, could not be found and was never served with notice of the suit, it developed yesterday.

WITHOUT PREJUDICE?

Former Wife of Banker and Automobile Man Dismisses Suit Involving Property Settlement.

On motion of her attorney, Judge Dehy yesterday dismissed the suit of Mrs. Anna M. Howard against her former husband, William D. Howard, banker and automobile dealer, without prejudice to filing another suit.

Mrs. Howard charged that she was induced to agree to a settlement of their property rights by alleged misrepresentations of the amount of property Mr. Howard owned. She sought to recover one-half of the property he held at the time of their divorce in 1914.

Rulings.

EXCESS PROFIT TAX EXPLAINED.

Interest and Taxes Cannot be Deducted.

Pew Rent to Church also is not Exempt.

Extension of Time Allowed in Certain Cases.

Collector of Internal Revenue Carter received an important ruling yesterday relative to the excess profits tax, which reverses a previous holding of his chief deputy, Sherman Jones, and himself on the point. It holds that interest and taxes cannot be deducted from income derived from salaries, wages, commissions, professions, etc., for the purpose of arriving at the amount of the profits tax. Such expenses are considered business expenses and for the excess profits tax can be deducted only from business income.

Another ruling is that money paid to a church for pew rent cannot be deducted from income as a contribution.

Every corporation except those specifically mentioned in the law as exempt, is required to file a return of income regardless of whether operations were conducted at a profit or loss, and regardless of the fact that no business may have been transacted during the year.

AS TO PARTNERSHIP.

It is required to file a return of excess profits if there is a net income of $2000 or over for the year.

A partnership is not required to file a return of income unless a request to do so is made by the commissioner of internal revenue. The individual partners file their income tax reports if their net income is $1000 or $2000, depending upon their status as married or unmarried men. The partnership will make a return under excess profits tax, if its net income amounts to $6000 or more.

If a person has a servant in the house to whom a salary of $40 a month is paid, and board and lodging worth $10 a week more given, he must report the name and address of such servant.

A member of a partnership is not entitled to deduct a proportionate share of depreciation that has occurred in the property of the partnership.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

Under another ruling just received, the collector of internal revenue has authority to grant an extension of time for a period of not more than thirty days and then only in event of sickness or absence of the individual; or in the case of a corporation, in the event of the sickness or absence of some one of the officers or other employee whose presence is essential either to the signature or correct preparation of the report.

A dividend received during 1917 on stock based upon a revaluation of certain assets of the corporation is not taxable.

Persons are not allowed to deduct the water taxes on their home as a part of the legal exemption.

COMPROMISE SUIT.

When John S. Roselli, 5 years old, was struck and injured by a Los Angeles Railway car on Lamar street, last April, he sued for $20,000 damages. Yesterday Judge Wellborn approved a stipulation by which the suit would be dismissed upon payment of $4000 to the boy.

EVIDENCE BY TRUCKLOADS.

Federal Officials Get Boxes and Trunks of it for Use in I.W.W. Trial.

A truckload of trunks and boxes, containing books, records, letters and other memoranda belonging to the I.W.W. defendants in jail at Fresno, whose trial before United States District Judge Bledsoe is set for April 2, was received at the Federal Building yesterday.

The trunks and boxes are supposed to contain evidence tending to incriminate the defendants, who are charged with conspiring to give aid and comfort to the enemy in the great war. United States District Attorney O'Connor and his assistant, W. Fleet Palmer, hope to have the trunks and boxes explored fully by the time court meets.

FIRST FRUIT MARKET OWNER HERE DIES.

NICHOLAS MERCADANTE WAS IDENTIFIED WITH CITY'S EARLIEST AFFAIRS.

Nicholas Mercadante of No. 2945 Raymond avenue, one of Los Angeles' pioneer residents and owner of this city's first wholesale fruit market, died at his residence yesterday after, having lived here for fifty years. He was seventy years old.

Mr. Mercadante came here from Italy with his father and brother, Vicente, in 1861. The trio were engaged in making wine. Six years later, however, when his father returned to Italy, the winery was closed and Nicholas worked in the California placer mines. While he was at this work he was sent to Mexico. The trip was made by boat but the return was by burro. When he returned from Mexico he brought with him a burro train carying silver. The roads were infested with bandits and each burro was piled with tobacco, put there to hide the silver that lay underneath.

When the Central Pacific Railway was in course of construction, Mr. Mercadante worked for that company. Later, when the Sonoma County timber lands began to be opened up, he worked in a lumber camp. March 1869 found him in Los Angeles. He had started a small restaurant on Main street where the Hotel St. Charles now stands. This was one of the city's first eating-houses.

The Mercadante fruit store, located in the Kuhrts block at First and Main streets, was a rendezvous for Epicures. Here could be found the choicest fruits of every description. Mr. Mercadante owned this establishment for ten years and only sold his interest in it when he decided to re-enter the restaurant business. He owned the Queen Cafe on First street for three years.

In 1875, Mr. Mercadante married Maria Bernal, a pretty young Italian girl, who died thirteen years later. Five children were born to the couple. Three years afterward he was again married, this time to Edna Botello, who survives him. There is a daughter, Edna, by that marriage. Three daughters and two sons are left, Mrs. Charles Millen, Mrs. A. R. Steele and Nicholas Mercadante, Jr., of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Maria F. Turck and T. C. Mercadante of San Francisco.

Last rites over the body of the pioneer are to be said at the Church of the Lady of the Lord, Third and Rowan streets, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will be at Calvary Cemetery.

LUMBERMAN DIES AT HOME IN HOLLYWOOD.

Daniel Dake, a well-known lumberman and for several years a resident of Hollywood, died at his residence, No. 1212 Fairfax avenue, yesterday. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at the parlors of Gates, Crane & Earl, conducted by the Masons and the G.A.R. Interment will be at Inglewood Park Cemetery.

Mr. Dake became prominent in the lumber industry in Michigan, moving his offices later to Chicago and then coming to California. Besides a widow, he leaves a son, Milton L. Dake of East Orange, N. J.

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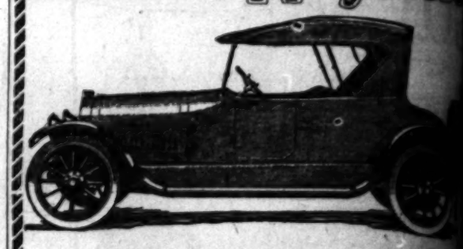

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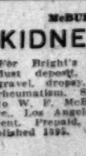

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